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W. J. C. APPEALS AT U. N. FOR ACTION AGAINST RELIGIOUS INTOLERANCE, PRAISES BRITAIN'S RECORD

A strong appeal was made by Dr. Maurice L. Perlzweig, speaking on behalf of the World Jewish Congress, to the members of the U.N. Sub-Commission on the Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities, meeting in New York, to agree on the text of a Declaration on the Elimination of all Forms of Religious Intolerance.

Though this text was requested by the General Assembly in 1962, Dr. Perlzweig expressed apprehension that the priority given to other items and the shortness of the meeting would result in another postponement. While his organization, like others, regretted that the Sub-Commission had been allotted only three weeks, he pointed out that three drafts were now before the Committee and the material was available for the formulation of an appeal to international public opinion to put an end to the "disgraceful religious intolerance which is fraught with suffering for multitudes of people in many lands."

This was not a matter, emphasized Dr. Perlzweig, who is the head of the International Affairs Department of the World Jewish Congress in New York, which affected Jews alone. Catholics, Protestants, Buddhists, Moslems, and Hindus were not only the victims of discrimination but were subjected to violence and physical attack.

While a Declaration would in itself not provide a legal remedy, pending the adoption of legislation on a world-wide scale, it could help all those who were seeking [illegible] understanding and tolerance." As an example of what a Declaration could help to do, the WJC representative cited the work of the late Pope, John XXIII, to whose memory he paid a warm tribute.

"John XXIII, through his great encyclical, 'Pacem in terris,'" said Dr. Perlzweig, "did more for human understanding and mutual respect among people of the most varied creeds than all the legislation of the past few years. The late Pope not only established a new relationship with Christian communities outside the Catholic Church, but he stretched out the hand of fellowship to non-Christians, and even to non-believers. He demonstrated in practice that the creation of a climate of fellowship and understanding could be a powerful influence in the struggle against intolerance."

The Sub-Commission, some years ago had published a "remarkable study" on the free practice of religion by one of its members, Dr. Arcot Krishnaswami, of India, which might fairly be described as a kind of secular encyclical. It could be wished that it had received the publicity and attention which it deserved, but in the presence of continued religious intolerance it was clearly necessary for the United Nations, with all its moral authority, to issue a call to public opinion everywhere to take positive measures which would safeguard the exercise of human rights in this area.

Dr. Perlzweig pleaded with the Sub-Commission, in whatever document it produced, to take a step forward in the development of UN policy, and affirm the duty of the State not merely to prevent discrimination and persecution but to take positive measures designed to facilitate the enjoyment of human rights by religious, as well as non-religious, groups. He denied that this would necessarily raise the controversial considerations associated with the question of [illegible] religion by way of example.

"I was brought up and educated in the United Kingdom," said Dr. Perlzweig, "and for a quarter of a century I was a minister of religion in a minority community. There is in Britain an Established Church, to which the Sovereign by law belongs. During that period I officiated at large numbers of marriages under an act of Parliament which made provisions to meet the special needs of Jews. This was not an exclusive privilege. Similar special provisions were made for Quakers and others. The existence of an Established Church did not prevent the State from taking these positive measures to facilitate the exercise of full religious liberty by minority groups.

"I have officiated as a religious functionary in three countries," continued Dr. Perlzweig, "and I have lived in and visited many others throughout the world. I can say without hesitation that nowhere in the world is there less religious intolerance than in Britain, and nowhere is the exercise of religious liberty more faithfully safeguarded."

It was not enough, said Dr. Perlzweig, quoting one of the drafts before the Sub-Commission, to say that the State "shall not obstruct or hamper any lawful activities" of religious institutions. The time had come to substitute for this negative and ineffective approach the assumption by the State of the moral obligation to facilitate and safeguard the exercise of freedom of conscience for religious groups, and he fully agreed that the same should be done for non-religious groups or what might be called the new secular religions.

This did not mean that it was the duty of the State to support religion in general or any particular religion. But it did mean that the State was under an obligation not merely to proclaim a human right but to ensure that the conditions were created in which it could be effectively exercised. And among these conditions he included appropriate measures against incitement to racial hatred and violence.

Turning to an assertion by the Polish member of the Sub-Commission that religion was a private matter, with the implication that it was enough to protect the rights of the individual, Dr. Perlzweig asserted that this was incomplete and by itself would not give to religious people the opportunity to fulfill their obligations. In many great religions, among them Christianity, Judaism, and Islam, the whole body of the faithful constituted a [illegible] religious community which had its task and mis-

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Schildkraut, Famous Son Of Famous Father, Won Honour, Acclaim, Awards During 50 Years Of Stage And Screen

Joseph Schildkraut, the actor, died in New York of a heart attack at his home, 171 East 72nd Street. He was 68 years old. Mr. Schildkraut, whose stage and screen career spanned 50 years, twice won Oscars for motion picture roles, says the New York Times. He was to start rehearsals in February for his first musical, "Cafe Crown," due on Broadway in April.

He won his Academy Awards as the best supporting actor for his portrayal of Capt. Alfred Dreyfus in "The Life of Emile Zola" in 1938; and for his characterization of a weaver in "The Tell-Tale Heart" in 1942.

Mr. Schildkraut's most recent principal role was that of Anne Frank's father, which he played in the stage and screen productions of "The Diary of Anne Frank." The play opened on Broadway on October 5, 1955. The movie version was released in 1959. Mr. Schildkraut was acclaimed by theatrical and motion-picture critics for both performances.

The son of an internationally famous actor, Rudolf Schildkraut, and the former Erna Wetzstein, Mr. Schildkraut was born in Vienna on March 22, 1895.

His parents, who wanted him to be a concert violinist, had a villa in an artists' colony known as the Cottage Quarters. Other tenants there were Arthur Schnitzler, Ferenc Molnar, Gerhart Hauptmann, and Richard Strauss.

Young Schildkraut attended the Imperial Academy of Music in Berlin where he studied piano and violin. But his love for the theater led him to Albert Basserman, a great character actor of the day, who coached him in the theater.

The elder Schildkraut came to the United States in 1910 to perform in New York. During his engagement Joseph studied at the American Academy of Dramatic Arts, where two of his classmates were William Powell and Paul Muni. He was graduated in 1913.

Returning to Berlin, he made his debut in "The Prodigal Son" under the direction of the great Max Reinhardt. On his next visit to the United States, says the New York Times, Mr. Schildkraut was engaged to play the lead opposite Eva Le Gallienne in Molnar's "Liliom," which opened in April, 1921.

Mr. Schildkraut next appeared in the title role of "Peer Gynt" in 1923, for which he received great critical praise. This was followed by his portrayal of Benvenuto Cellini in "The Firebrand," described as "vivid."

D. W. Griffith's production of "Orphans of the Storm" in 1928 was the actor's first film. In 1927 he went to Hollywood to play Judas in "The King of Kings" and remained until 1931. While on the Coast he managed the Hollywood Playhouse and starred in 25 movies, including "Show Boat," the second "talkie."

Among the plays in which Mr. Schildkraut appeared on Broadway were "Clash by Night," 1941; "Uncle Harry," 1942; "The Green Bay Tree," 1951; and "Love's Labor's Lost," for which he won the New York Shakespeare Society award in 1953.

He also appeared as a host and star on his own dramatic television series in 1953.

Last year Mr. Schildkraut was a lecturer and guest director at the University of California, where he produced Ibsen's "Peer Gynt." Peer Gynt was one of his favorite roles, the other having been Richard II.

During his career Mr. Schildkraut appeared in more than 60 motion pictures; two dozen plays; and at least 90 television shows.

He was nearly six feet tall and slender. In his early motion pictures and plays he was cast as a leading man by virtue of his brown hair and eyes and elegant appearance.

Mr. Schildkraut, whose permanent residence was in Beverly Hills, Calif., became an American citizen in 1926. He and Elise Bartlett, an actress, were wed in 1923 and divorced in 1931. The next year the actor married Mary McKay, who died in 1961, says the New York Times. Last year Mr. Schildkraut married Leonora Rogers, who was with him when he died.

Rabbis Who Perform Intermarriages Called Danger To Jewish Life

Rabbis who perform marriages between Jews and gentiles were charged with "contributing to the ultimate destruction of Jewish life." The accusation was made by the Rabbi Dr. Joseph Klein, of Temple Emanuel, in Worcester, Mass., at a conference in New York on intermarriage, sponsored by the American Jewish Congress.

Recent studies have indicated that such marriages are increasing, and concern has been expressed by religious leaders that they are weakening the structure of Judaism, says the New York Times. Dr. Klein, a Reform rabbi, said that rabbis who perform such ceremonies were "a dangerous element in the struggle for Jewish survival." He called on the Jewish community to "pressure" the rabbis who perform the ceremonies to stop.

Dr. Klein's views were supported at the conference by Dr. Leo Jung, Orthodox rabbi of the Jewish Center of New York City. He said such marriages were "unfair to the millions of Jews who have fought for survival." Dr. Jung added that such marriages were "morally wrong and hazardous." He said they end "at best in divorces court or in a state of belligerence."

Some Reform rabbis now perform marriages between Jews and gentiles, but Conservative and Orthodox rabbis do not. The views of Dr. Jung and Dr. Klein were opposed at the conference by Rabbi Max Eichhorn, of the Jewish Welfare Board. He said he did not encourage intermarriages, but has performed them.

He added that the current trend toward more intermarriages by Jews probably would not stop, and stiffly opposing them would only create animosities. He said efforts instead should be concentrated on strengthening Jewish values.

Although he did not take a position, Dr. Werner Cahnman, a Rutgers University sociologist, agreed with Dr. Eichhorn that the rate of intermarriage of Jews and gentiles would continue to increase, says the New York Times. He said that more research on the subject was needed. The conference was held at the Hotel New Yorker [illegible] Jewish Congress.

Histadrut, Israeli Labor [illegible]ion, Campaigns For Millions To Meet Major Services

The National Committee for Labour Israel adopted a $5.2 to $5.21 million goal for next year to meet major medical, vocational training, cultural, and rehabilitation services in Israel.

The action was taken by delegates at the close of the Committee's fortieth annual convention, at the Commodore Hotel, in New York. Histadrut, Israel's labor federation, will use the funds from the campaign to maintain these projects, says the New York Times, particularly among Israel's heavy influx of immigrants.

Besides the sum expected to be raised by the national committee, Histadrut allocates more than $4.6 million toward the support of these services. Histadrut raises the funds from its own members and in special drives in Israel.

Rabbi Jacob J. Weinstein, of Chicago, Illinois, who was re-elected national chairman of the committee, appealed for support of his organization's goal, asserting that Arab nations remained adamant in their refusal to accept Israel and thereby imposed an unconscionable burden of defense on the citizens of Israel.

In adopting the goal, the delegates noted in a resolution that medical care for seventy per cent of the population must be accomplished through more medical institutions, particularly in new settlement areas.

The resolution also cited the need for expanded vocational schools and the establishment of cultural centers in low-income areas to spur social and cultural integration of the newcomers.

In another action, the delegates asserted that "evidence abounds of consistent discrimination against Jews in the Soviet Union and that this discrimination derives from Soviet government policy", says the New York Times. The delegates appealed for the restoration of the spiritual and cultural privileges for Jews in the Soviet Union.

The delegates pledged that in the next ten years they would intensify their efforts in their moral and financial support of Israel to help that nation consolidate its economy.

An Israeli labor leader said that his nation's labor movement would require a minimum budget of $9.6 million next year to carry on necessary social welfare and medical programs among the immigrants.

The leader, Yehoshua Levy, treasurer of Histadrut, Israel's Labor Federation, said the money was needed for such projects as medical care, education, vocational training, immigrant aid, and assistance to Arab workers.

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Social Notes — Montreal

Mr. and Mrs. George Scott, 3960 Cote des Neiges Road, were in Palm Beach, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fishbain, of Ste. Agathe, Quebec, were in New York; and at the Concord Hotel, in Kiamesha Lake, N. Y.

H. L. Bramson, of Chicago, Ill., visited his brother-in-law, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Myer Burman, 5345 Brodeur Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wainberg, 5761 Cote St. Luc Road, spent their wedding trip in South America. Mrs. Wainberg is the former Miss Loralyn Rosen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Howard Rosen, of Vancouver, B. C. Mr. Wainberg is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wainberg, 4300 Western Avenue.

Harry Engel, of New York, visited his mother, Mrs. Clara Engel, 4437 Draper Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Saul Friedman, 3495 Mountain Street, were in Hollywood, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Singer, 5242 Cumberland Avenue, were in New York; and at the Concord Hotel, in Kiamesha Lake, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Levy, of New York, visited her brother-in-law, and sister, Dr. and Mrs. William Gavsie, 5087 Victoria Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Caplan, 4301 Dornal Avenue, and their granddaughter, Miss Myra Sirota, daughter of Mrs. Frances Flegal, 4961 Dornal Avenue, are spending three months in Los Angeles, Calif. While there they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Alec Tennenbaum, of Los Angeles, whose son Melvyn Tennenbaum, is the fiancee of Miss Sirota.

Mrs. Jack A. Klein, 4300 Western Avenue, is visiting her son-in-law, and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Jerry Friedman, and Jacqueline, Eric, and new-born daughter, Margot Susan, 19 Heathcote Avenue, Toronto, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Abramowitz, 4587 Oxford Avenue, visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kerzner, and Mark Elliot, and new-born daughter, Bath Sari, of Ottawa, Ont.

Mrs. Moe Babins, and Leonard, and Arlene, of Murdochville, Quebec, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Manis Linetsky, 5277 Byron Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Sheldon, 176 Searle Street, Toronto, Ont., visited their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. S. Perzow, 5785 Westminster Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Grossman, of Boston, Mass., visited Mr. and Mrs. Issie Fishman, 5708 Edgemore Street.

Mrs. I. Blit, of New York, visited her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lerner, and new-born daughter, Rochelle, 2700 Kent Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lenetsky, of Joliette Quebec, are visiting their son, and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lenetsky, and Leonard Lenetsky, and Mark, 5279 Byron Street.

Mrs. Frances Anschel, of Livingston, N. J., visited her sisters, Mrs. Clara Engel, and Miss Hilda Philip, both of 4437 Draper Avenue.

Here for the marriage of Miss Caroline Kolodny, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kolodny, 2220 Lafortune Street, to Dr. Ernest Burman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Myer Burman, 5345 Brodeur Street, at Beth Ora Synagogue, were: H. L. Bramson, uncle, of Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Max Frank, aunt of the groom, and daughter, Miss Bryna Frank, and son, Joseph Frank, of Burlington, Vermont; Mrs. Mac Ikenson, of New York, cousin of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. S. Perlmutter, and son, Gordon, of Burlington; and Mr. and Mrs. David Shumsky, of New York.

Mrs. Hannah Klein, 2375 Stevens Street, and her sister, Mrs. Julius Stusser, of Vancouver, B. C., are spending a holiday in Miami Beach, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ellenbogen, 320 Eighty-Nineth Avenue, visited her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Friedman, of Ottawa, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meitin, of Los Angeles, Calif., visited his brother-in-law, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Friedman, 5500 Lavoie Avenue.

Barry Margulis, 249 Sheraton Drive, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dov Rauchberger, of Haifa, Israel, whose daughter, Miss Bina Rauchberger, is his fiancee.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gruberman, of Boston, Mass., visited his mother, Mrs. Bessie Gruberman, 6402 McLynn Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Goldman, of Lakewood, N. J., visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goldman, 5050 King Edward Avenue.

Here for the bar-mitzvah of Mark Abraham David, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lenetsky, 5279 Byron Street, on February 8, at Shaare Zion Synagogue, will be: Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lenetsky, of Joliette, Quebec, his grandparents; and Mrs. Moe Babins, aunt, and Leonard, and Arlene, of Murdochville, Quebec.

Mrs. A. Grossman, and her daughter, Judith, of New York, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. Resin, 2250 St. Louis Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kagan, 4885 Jean Brillant Avenue, celebrated the sixteenth birthday of their daughter, Krayna; granddaughter of Mrs. Sarah Morris, of that address, and the late Chaim David Morris; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. Kagan.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Muskat, 660 Briar Hill Avenue, Toronto, Ont., visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brumer, 5633 Jellicoe Street.

Mr. and Mrs. David Silverman, and Henry, and Edith, of Brooklyn, N. Y., visited their cousin, Mrs. Gertrude Plotnick, 4322 Coolbrook Avenue.

Mrs. Mac Ikenson, of New York, visited her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bramson, 5845 Queelen Road.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Brumer, and Ryna, of Moncton, N. B. visited his brother, and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. Brumer, 4071 Carlton Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kalpin, 12 Bessarion Drive, Toronto, Ont., visited his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Weigensberg, 5772 MacAlear Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Klap, 27 Euphrasia Drive, Toronto, Ont., visited their nephew, and niece, Mr. and Mrs. S. Perzow, 5785 Westminster Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mintzberg, 5550 Lyndale Street, are back from a trip to Israel.

Mrs. H. Waxman, 8844 Seventeenth Avenue, Laval West, is taking a holiday in Miami, Florida.

Mrs. Rebecca Gasel, 4820 Bourret Street, is on a holiday in Miami, Florida.

Miss Eileen Frank, of Hartford, Conn., visited her aunt, Mrs. Anne Wittenberg, and Rhonda, and Stanley, 8125 Brighton Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Kalpin, 51 Timberlane Drive, Toronto, Ont., visited her brother, and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Max Weigensberg, 8033 Westover Street.

Mrs. Molly Cohen, of Winnipeg, Manitoba, is here for the bar-mitzvah of her grandson, Stephen Allen, son of Mrs. Philip M. Maron, 250 Kensington Avenue, and the late Mr. Maron, on February 8, at Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Polskin, of North Plainfield, N. J., visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Hubacher, 318 Brookfield Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Dyner, of New York, visited her brother, and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goldman, and Benjamin, and new-born son, Kenneth David, 5050 King Edward Avenue.

Here for the bar-mitzvah of Abraham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Flohr, 4670 Maplewood Avenue, who was called to the Reading of the Law, at Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue, were: Mr. and Mrs. E. Mantz, cousins; and Mrs. Sara Mantz, aunt, all of Philadelphia, Pa.; Mrs. H. Schneider, of Boston, Mass., aunt; and Mr. and Mrs. J. Seid, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Seidenman, all of New York.

Mrs. Samuel Rudy, 3049 Bedford Road, spent a holiday at the Cromwell Hotel, in Miami Beach, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Douglas Goldberg, 2445 Sunset Road, spent their wedding trip in Jamaica, W. I. Mrs. Goldberg is the former Miss Trina Patricia Levy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Levy, of Brooklyn, N. Y. Mr. Goldberg is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Goldberg, 5722 Fleet Road.

Mrs. Ethel Hart, of New York, visited her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. William Greenberg, 1635 Van Horne Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Moe Edelstein, 6275 Northcrest Place, spent their wedding trip in Mexico City, Mexico. Mrs. Edelstein is the former Miss Mildred Gruberman, daughter of Mrs. Bessie Gruberman, 6402 McLynn Avenue, and the late Samuel Gruberman. Mr. Edelstein is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Edelstein, 6061 Park Avenue.

In Toronto, Ont., for the engagement party of Miss Marilyn Dvorah Berman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berman, 38 Lynn Haven Road, Toronto, Ont., to Jack Bercovitch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Bercovitch, 4612 Esplanade Avenue, who were there for the party, were: Leonard Bercovitch, and Miss Libby Bercovitch, brother, and sister of the groom-to-be; Mr. and Mrs. H. Marcus, 6620 Parkview Road, brother-in-law, and sister of the groom-elect; and Mr. and Mrs. T. Herscovitch, 6352 Mountain Sights Avenue, uncle, and aunt of the groom-to-be.

Jack Saul Rosen, a student of the Ontario School of Veterinary Medicine, in Guelph, Ont., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Rosen, 5535 Wilderton Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. David Leibovits, of Brooklyn, N. Y., visited her brother-in-law, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Schwartz, 3160 Van Horne Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Seid, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Seidenman, all of New York, visited Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Flohr, 4670 Maplewood Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. David Eidel, 3869 de l'Epee Avenue, were at the Cromwell Hotel, in Miami Beach, Florida.

BAR-MITZVAHS

Mark Abraham David, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lenetsky, 5279 Byron Street, will be called to the Reading of the Law, in honour of his bar-mitzvah, on February 8, at Shaare Zion Synagogue. He is the brother of Leonard Lenetsky; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lenetsky, of Joliette, Quebec; and of Mrs. Manis Linetsky, 5277 Byron Street, and the late Louis Linetsky. Kiddush will be observed.

Robert Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Joseph, 5567 Alpine Avenue, will be called to the Reading of the Law, in celebration of his bar-mitzvah, on February 8, at Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue. He is the brother of Madelyn, aged sixteen years; grandson of Mrs. Rose Tencer, 235 Metcalfe Avenue, and the late Alfred Tencer; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. Morris Joseph. Kiddush will be observed.

Stephen Allen, son of Mrs. Philip M. Maron, 250 Kensington Avenue, and the late Mr. Maron, will be called to the Reading of the Law, in celebration of his bar-mitzvah, on February 8, at Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue. He is the brother of Paul Maron; and Margo, aged fifteen years; grandson of Mrs. Molly Cohen, of Winnipeg, Manitoba, and the late Philip Cohen; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. Morris Maron, of Montreal. Kiddush will be observed.

Denis, son of Dr. and Mrs. Alexander Brott, 5459 Earnscliffe Avenue, will be called to the Reading of the Law, in honour of his bar-mitzvah on February 7, at Temple Emanu-El. He is the brother of Boris Brott, of Toronto, Ont.

Barry Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Herscovitch, 5566 Birnam Street, will be called to the Reading of the Law, on February 8, at Beth Aaron Synagogue. Kiddush will be observed. Mrs. Herscovitch is the former Miss Bess Aronsky.

MARRIAGES

SCHLOSSBERG-QUINT

The marriage of Miss Alice Quint, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Quint, 4690 Cumberland Avenue, to Ernest Schlossberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Schlossberg, 3885 Maplewood Avenue, was solemnized at Tifereth Jerusalem Synagogue, on Sunday, November 3, at six o'clock, by Rabbi David Hartman, assisted by Cantor Bela Lebovics. The bride was given in marriage by her parents. She wore a fitted, white, satin peau de soie gown, appliqued with lace, which had a scoop neckline; long sleeves; and full skirt terminating in a short train. Her tulle illusion veil was caught to a pill-box hat; and she carried a prayer book with white orchids, and lilies-of-the-valley. Mrs. Ludy Carla was her sister's matron of honour. She wore a turquoise-blue, peau de soie gown, with fitted bodice cut with a high neckline; and an A-line skirt; also a seed-pearl-beaded tiara; and carried a cascade of pink roses. Fern Lee Quint, aged twelve years, sister of the bride, was an attendant. She wore a white, peau de soie dress, trimmed with lace; and a matching hat; and carried a nosegay of pink roses. Issie Lieberman was best man. The ushers were: Ludy Karla, brother-in-law of the bride; Manny Cohen, cousin of the bride; Gerald Miller, cousin of the groom; Eli Zeldman, Nata Agansky, Morton Bromberg, Norman Freedman, and Samuel Maiamud. Blue, white, and pink carnations, roses, and chrysanthemums provided the setting for the wedding. An orchestra played the wedding music. Two hundred and fifty guests were received in the Synagogue hall. Mrs. Quint, mother of the bride, wore a blue, metallic brocade gown, made with a draped bodice; and sheath skirt draped in Grecian effect; with a matching headpiece. Mrs. Schlossberg, mother of the groom, wore a fitted, blue, and gold-coloured brocade gown, with full skirt. She had a seed-pearl-beaded tiara. Their corsages were of white orchids. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schlossberg spent their wedding trip at the Deauville Hotel, in Miami, Florida; and Nassau, W. I.; the bride departing in a black and white tweed suit; with a mauve orchid corsage. They have taken up residence at 5460 Bessborough Avenue.

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Social Notes — Montreal

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Jacobs, of Lakewood, N. J., were hosts to one hundred guests at their home, to celebrate the engagement of Miss Mayne Bockler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Bockler, 566 Bertrand Street, Montreal, who were there for the occasion, and the fiancee of their son, Kenneth Jacobs. Miss Bockler wore a blue, mohair sheath; and had a corsage of white baby orchids. White carnations centered the table.

Mrs. Sadie Strominger, 5240 Maplewood Avenue, celebrated her eightieth birthday at supper, at home, with twenty guests. She is the sister of Julius Steiner, 4545 St. Kevin Street; William Steiner, and Miss Anna Steiner, both of Brooklyn, N. Y.; and Mrs. Molly Steiner, 108 Palmerston Avenue, Toronto, Ont. Mrs. Strominger wore a green silk dress. A centrepiece of pink roses, and white carnations trimmed the table.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Meyer, 4474 Bel Air Road, celebrated the seventh birthday of their son, Jack, at home, with twenty guests present. Jack is the brother of Isaac, aged eight years; Ralph, two; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. Kimel, 852 McEachran Avenue; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Meyer, of Poland. A blue, and white birthday cake was the table adornment.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Harris, 5328 Melling Street, were luncheon hosts to thirty-five guests at the Stage Coach Inn, on the sixteenth birthday of their daughter, Susan; sister of Stephen Harris; granddaughter of Mrs. Helaine Harris, of Montreal; and of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Davine, 5100 Maplewood Avenue. Susan wore a pink, wool dress. A centrepiece of pink, and white carnations, and a pink, and white cake trimmed the table.

Mrs. Joshua Rosenzweig, 5863 Clanranald Avenue, was a luncheon hostess to one hundred and fourteen guests at Chevra Kadisha Bnai Jacob Synagogue, in honour of Miss Helen Hartman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartman, 4808 Hutchison Street, and the fiancee of her son, Harold Rosenzweig. Mrs. Rosenzweig wore a black, brocade sheath; with its own jacket; also a black, velvet hat; and her flowers were a corsage of white carnations. Mrs. Hartman wore a black, wool suit. Her hat was white; and her corsage was of white, and pink carnations. Miss Hartman wore a white, wool suit; with a corsege of red baby roses. The table was decorated with white, and pink carnations, and red roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Brodsky (nee Rose Shnitzer), 5490 Lemieux Street, were honoured at a dinner, given by their children in honour of their fiftieth wedding anniversary, at Ruby Foo's. They have two sons-in-law, and daughters: Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Soiferman (Vera), 4965 Isabella Avenue; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lieberman, 5550 Alpine Avenue; five grandchildren: Myer Schoel Soiferman, and Miss Carol Soiferman; and Joy, Hester, and Morlyn Lieberman. Mrs. Brodsky wore a blue, lace gown; with a corsage of gold-coloured orchids. A centrepiece of gold-coloured, and white carnations, and pom-poms, and a white cake beautified the table.

Mesdames Abe Rubenstein, of Sherman Oaks, Calif., and David Kessler, 4475 Grand Boulevard, were luncheon hostesses to sixty-five guests at Ruby Foo's, in honour of Mrs. Rubenstein's daughter, Miss Suzanne Rubenstein, and the fiances of Mrs. Kessler's son, Lawrence Kessler. The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mrs. Annie Rubenstein, 4890 Maplewood Avenue. The groom-to-be is the grandson of A. F. Litwin, of Montreal. Mrs. Abe Rubenstein wore a black, crepe sheath; and had a corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. Kessler wore a yellow, knitted dress; with a corsage of yellow carnations. Mrs. Annie Rubenstein wore a blue, wool suit; and her corsage was of pink carnations. Miss Rubenstein wore a Kelly-green, brocade dress; and had a corsage of pink, and white carnations. White, and pink roses were the table flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Landmann, 5625 Hudson Avenue, gave a party with twenty-five guests present, at the Stage Coach Inn, celebrating the seventieth birthday of her mother, Mrs. Clara Engel; and Mrs. Engel's twin sister, Miss Hilda Philip, both of 4487 Draper Avenue. Mrs. Engel's son, Harry Engel, of New York, was here for the event. Mrs. Engel, and Miss Philip are the sisters of Mrs. Frances Anschel, of Livingston, N. J., who was also here for the occasion. Mrs. Landmann, wore a pink, chiffon dress, made with a full skirt. Mrs. Engel wore a black crepe dress, with a corsage of white, and pink carnations. Miss Philip wore a black, crepe dress, trimmed with gold-coloured thread; and had a corsage of white, and pink carnations. White, and red carnations, and a white, and pink birthday cake trimmed the table.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Resin, 2260 St. Louis Street, were luncheon hosts to eighty guests, at the Stage Coach Inn, to celebrate the sixteenth birthday of their daughter, Joyce; sister of Sherri, aged ten years; granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. Saltsman; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. Resin. Mrs. Resin wore a beige, wool sheath; and her corsage was of white roses. Joyce wore a red, chiffon suit; and had a bouquet of white, and pink roses. A centrepiece of white, red, and pink carnations, and a pink, and white cake beautified the table. Mrs. A. Grossman, and her daughter, Judith, of New York, were here for the celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Segal, 1125 Bardet Street, were hosts to eighty-five guests at a luncheon at the Stage Coach Inn, to celebrate the sixteenth birthday of their daughter, Naomi; sister of Susan, aged thirteen years; granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. Katz; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. M. Segal. Mrs. Segal wore a grey, and silver-coloured knitted suit; and had a corsage pink roses. Naomi wore a red velvet suit; with a bouquet of pink roses. White and pink carnations, and a pink and white cake centered the table.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Katner, 2147 Depatie Street, were luncheon hosts to eighty-guests, at the Stage Coach Inn, to celebrate the sixteenth birthday of their daughter, Rosalea; sister of Mrs. Joseph Gershonovitch (Edith), 2145 Depatie Street; and Moe Gross, 7057 Wavell Street. Mrs. Katner wore a beige and green, peau de soie sheath; and had a corsage of white, and pink carnations. Mrs. Gershonovitch wore an off-white, brocaded sheath; and her corsage was of red, and white carnations. Rosalea wore a sleeveless, beige, chiffon dress, with a bouquet of white carnations. The table was decorated with white, and red carnations, and a white, and red cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Schwartz, 2160 Van Horne Avenue, were dinner hosts to sixty-five guests, at Gourmet Restaurant, to celebrate the engagement of their daughter, Miss Flora Schwartz, to Simon William Richter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Richter, 4750 Dupuis Avenue. Mrs. Schwartz wore a green, and white, printed, silk dress; and had a corsage of white roses. Mrs. Richter wore a black, peau de soie dress; with a corsage of red roses. Miss Schwartz wore a black, chiffon sheath; with a wristlet of red, and white roses. Mrs. Pesha Lipsey, 5342 McShane Street, grandmother of the groom, wore a mauve, printed silk dress; and her flowers were a corsage of pink roses. A composition of red, and white roses, and pink, and white carnations adorned the table. Here for the event were: Mr. and Mrs. David Leibovitz, of Brooklyn, N. Y., uncle, and aunt of the bride; and David Levine, of Athelstan, Quebec, great-uncle of the groom.

Mesdames Moses Simco, 462 Elm Avenue; David Simcoe, 4867 Borden Avenue; and Louis Saze, 950 Dunlop Avenue, were hostesses at Desjardins, at a luncheon in honour of their niece, Miss Barbara Brender, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Brender, 5782 Kent Avenue, and the fiancee of Dr. Allan L. Sherwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sherwin, 4580 Kensington Avenue. There were forty-five guests present. Mrs. Moses Simco wore a brown, knitted suit. Mrs. David Simcoe wore a red, knitted suit. Mrs. Louis Saze wore a blue, crepe dress. Mrs. Brender wore a yellow, silk suit. Mrs. Sherwin wore a beige, knitted suit. Miss Brender wore a multi-coloured wool dress; with a corsage of red roses. The table was arranged with red carnations, and white roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Opal (nee Evelyn Gotlieb), 5136 Trans Island Avenue, celebrated their twentieth wedding anniversary at a surprise party, at home, given by their daughter, Miss Minda Opal. There were twenty-five guests present. Mrs. Opal is the sister of Jack Gotlieb, Q. C., 5018 Grosvenor Avenue; David Gotlieb, of New York; Saul Gotlieb, of Toronto, Ont.; Manny Gotlieb, 6770 Hudson Avenue; Mrs. Hyman Anchel (Rose), 4735 Vezina Street; Mrs. Arthur Levin (Gladys), 2285 St. Louis Street; Mrs. Charles Nerenberg (Mina), 546 Alexis Nihon Boulevard; and Mrs. Mark Bender (Polly), of New York. Mr. Opal is the son of Moses Opolsky, 4935 St. Urbain Street; and the brother of Leo Opolsky, 467 Hudson Avenue; and Mrs. Fred Laud (Minnie), of Quebec City, Quebec. A white cake, and white, and red roses formed the table decoration. Mrs. Opal is president of the Montreal Association for Multiple Sclerosis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berman, 38 Lynn Haven Road, Toronto, entertained at an engagement party, in honour of their daughter, Miss Marilyn Dvorah Berman, and the fiancee of Jack Bercovitch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Bercovitch, 4612 Esplanade Avenue, of Montreal, Que., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caplan, 20 Blue Forest Drive, uncle, and aunt of the bride-to-be. Mrs. Caplan, the hostess, was in a green, ribboned knit gown. Mrs. Berman, mother of the bride-elect, wore a sleeveless, gold metallic, sheath gown, cut with scooped neckline. Mrs. Bercovitch, mother of the groom-elect, wore a black, re-embroidered, peau de soie gown which had a scooped neckline; and sheath skirt. Mrs. Ethel Rich, 3896 Bathurst Street, and Mrs. Hilda Berman, 163 Palm Drive grandmothers of the bride-to-be, each wore a black, crepe, sheath gown. Miss Marilyn Berman, the bride-to-be, wearing a gown composed of a pink, chiffon blouson, and a full skirt of pink, and white lace, over white organza, had a wristlet of pink, and white roses. The buffet table was trimmed with a composition of pink, and white chrysanthemums, and gladioli, and candelabra. In Toronto for the celebration were relatives of the groom-to-be: Mr. and Mrs. Moses Bercovitch, parents, and Leonard Bercovitch, brother, and sister; Mr. and Mrs. H. Marcus, 6620 Parkview Road, brother-in-law, and sister; and Mr. and Mrs. T. Herscovitch, uncle, and aunt, 6952 Mountain Sights Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brumer, 5633 Jellicoe Street, celebrated the bar-mitzvah of their son, Gary, who was called to the Reading of the Law, at Chevra Kadisha Bnai Jacob Synagogue. He is the brother of Susan, aged ten years; Nessa, nine; and Julius, five; grandson of Mrs. Gertrude Plotnick, 4322 Coolbrook Avenue, and the late Julius Plotnick; and of Mr. and Mrs. A. Meltzer, 4577 St. Kevin Street. Kiddush was observed. Mrs. Brumer wore a black velvet ensemble; and had a black, and white hat. That evening, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brumer were hosts to two hundred and sixty guests at a dinner dance in the Synagogue hall. Mrs. Brumer wore a sleeveless, white, peau de soie gown. The beaded bodice was made with a high neckline; and there was panel at the back. Susan wore a white, organza dress, set over pink taffeta. Nessa wore a white, organza dress, set over turquoise-blue taffeta. Mrs. Plotnick wore a blue, peau de soie sheath which had a beaded bodice; and her a corsage was of mauve orchids. Mrs. Meltzer wore a turquoise-blue, crepe sheath; with a corsage of mauve orchids. Those who lit the candles besides the family were: Marsha Spector, Janice Moore, Heidi Chernoff, Julia Moore, Steven Pecker, Neil Moore, Mark Greenberg; all cousins; Sharon Ginsberg, Jeffrey Ginsberg, Ricky Kessler, Ivan Kessler, David Aronovitch, Murray Flahman, Gary Elkin, Bruce Gates, Arthur Silber, and Jeffrey Goodman. Seated at the head table with the family were: Rabbi David Roth, Cantor and Mrs. Joshua Rosenzweig, and Cantor and Mrs. Tibor Holcser. Cantor Holcser asked a blessing over the challah. The bar-mitzvah boy spoke. The table centrepiece was composed of red, and white carnations, chrysanthemums, and a white, and gold-coloured cake. Here for the celebration were: Mr. and Mrs. H. Brumer, uncle, and aunt, and Ryna, of Moncton, N. B.; Mr. and Mrs. David Silverman, and Henry, and Edith; and Mr. and Mrs. David Katz, and Allan; all of Brooklyn, N. Y.; and Mrs. Ethel Hart, of New York; all cousins; and Mr. and Mrs. Simon Muskrat, 650 Briar Hill Avenue, Toronto, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Weigensberg (nee Rose Weigensberg), 6035 Westover Street, were honoured at a buffet supper, with one hundred and twenty guests present, given by their children, in honour of their fiftieth wedding anniversary, at the home of their son-in-law, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Frosst, 5711 MacAlear Street. They have two other sons, and daughters-in-law: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weigensberg, 4604 Seventh Street; and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Weigensberg, 5772 MacAlear Street; another son-in-law, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. S. Perzow, 5765 Westminster Avenue; and eight grandchildren: Jeffrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weigensberg; David, Sandy, and Jonathan, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Weigensberg; Charlotte, and Marcia Frost; and Gail, and Debra Perzow. Mrs. Weigensberg is the sister of Max Weigensberg, 6375 Mountain Sights Avenue; and Mrs. M. Dunsky (Dora), of Montreal. Mr. Weigensberg is the brother of Samuel Weigensberg, 4605 Plamondon Street; Abraham Weigensberg, 6710 McLynn Street; Joseph Weigensberg, 5367 Brodeur Street; Mrs. Simon Klap (Rose), 27 Euphrasia Drive; Mrs. Mac Kalpin (Mary), 51 Timberlane Drive; and Mrs. Julius Sheldon (Ada), 178 Searle Street; all of Toronto, Ont. He is also the brother of the late Jacob Weigensberg. Mrs. Max Weigensberg wore a light brown, brocade sheath; and had a corsage of gold-coloured orchids. Mrs. Frost wore a black, silk shantung dress. Mrs. Perzow wore a black silk sheath. Mrs. Edward Weigensberg wore a black, silk dress. Their corsages were of yellow roses. The table was adorned with yellow, and white, and gold-coloured pom-poms, and chrysanthemums, and a white, anniversary cake. Here for celebration were: Mr. and Mrs. Simon Klap, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Kalpin, and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Sheldon, brothers-in-law, and sisters of Mr. Weigensberg; and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kalpin, cousins; all of Toronto.

BIRTHS

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Lazarus Kahansky (nee Estelle Cooner), 490 Canterbury Avenue, on January 11, at Reddy Memorial Hospital, twin sons, Robert, and Jeffrey; brothers of Stuart, aged five and one-half years; grandsons of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cooner, 4640 Bourret Street; and of Alex Kahansky, 6558 Jeanne Mance Street, and the late Mrs. Rose Kahansky.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Neil Kipnis (nee Doreen Persel), 2170 Scott Street, on January 8, at the Jewish General Hospital, a daughter, Terri Lynn; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Persel, 1137 Marlatt Street; and of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kipnis, 2800 Darlington Place; great-granddaughter of Mrs. Freda Mayoff, 4680 Bourret Street; of Mrs. Dora Persel, of Montreal; and of Mrs. Rebecca Kipnis, 3010 Van Horne Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. David Rutenberg (nee Joan Uditsky), 5773 Eldridge Street, on January 11, at the Jewish General Hospital, a daughter, Cheryl Ann; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rutenberg, 4576 Draper Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. Moe Uditsky, 36 Summit Crescent; great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mendel Uditsky, of Miami, Florida.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Allan Rubin (nee Gilda Smolkin), 2500 Ekers Avenue, on January 6, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, a daughter, Liana; sister of Margot, aged seven and one-half years; and of Marc, five; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Rubin, 5051 Clanranald Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. C. Smolkin, 5634 Waverley Street; great-granddaughter of Mrs. Sarah Drasha Epstein, 5632 Waverley Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kerzner (nee Judith Abramowitz, formerly of Montreal), of Ottawa, Ont., on January 21, at the Ottawa Civic Hospital, a daughter, Beth Sari; sister of Mark Elliot, aged two and one-half years; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Abramowitz, 4587 Oxford Avenue; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. Kerzner.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lerner (nee Miriam Blit), formerly of Havana, Cuba, 2700 Kent Avenue, on January 16, at the Jewish General Hospital, a daughter, Rochelle; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lerner, 5985 Decelles Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. I. Blit, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; great-granddaughter of Mrs. Chaia Rubinstein, 5965 Decelles Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Wohl (nee Gail Nolan), 5925 Bedford Road, on January 23, at the Queen Elizabeth Hospital, a daughter, Shoshana; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Wohl, and of Mr. and Mrs. J. Nolan; great-granddaughter of Mrs. Ann Albert; and of A. Perzow, all of Montreal.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Allan Tannenbaum (nee Gloria Shaffer), 5793 Melling Street, on January 23, at the Jewish General Hospital, a daughter, Rhonda Ellen; sister of Elise Bonnie, aged two years; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Shaffer, 2720 Soissons Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Tannenbaum, 5583 Darlington Avenue; great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Tannenbaum, 6041 Wilderton Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. L. Shaffer, 125 Mount Royal Avenue West.

DEATHS

Mrs. Sophie Holzman Goldstein, of New York, formerly of Montreal, died on Tuesday, November 26, in New York. She is survived by her husband, Abe Goldstein; a daughter, Mrs. David Sokol (Elaine), of New York; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Holzman; a brother Bert S. Rolt; four sisters: Mrs. Katy Lewis; Mrs. Myer Klugerman (Ann); Mrs. Jack Poch (Ruth); and Mrs. David Abrams (Reva); all of Montreal. Funeral services took place in New York. Shiva was in New York.

Mrs. Rochelle Grodzky Fineberg, 4636 Clanranald Avenue, the widow of A. Harry Fineberg, died on Monday, January 6, in Montreal. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Sarah Grodzky, of Israel; two sisters: Mrs. Herbert Weinberg (Anna), 4085 Plamondon Street; and Mrs. Joseph Bonstein (Celia); and a brother, Chaim Grodzky; both of Israel. She was the mother of the late Alexander Zigmund Fineberg. Funeral services took place from Paperman's. Dr. Solomon Frank, Rabbi, officiated. Burial was at Spanish and Portuguese Cemetery. Shiva was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weinberg.

Mrs. Sarah Shuster, 4658 La Peltrie Street, aged eighty-three years, the widow of Philip Shuster, died on Thursday, December 19, at home. She is survived by three sons: David Shuster, 3080 Linton Avenue; Nathan Shuster, 5598 Parkhaven Avenue; Samuel Shuster, 3798 Carlton Avenue; three daughters: Mrs. A. Goldfarb (Libby), 157 Maplewood Avenue, Toronto, Ont.; Mrs. Issie Rosenberg (Ida), 4658 La Peltrie Street; Mrs. Abe Schwartz (Martha), 4745 St. Kevin Street; fifteen grandchildren: Philip Shuster, Mrs. Arthur Greenblatt (Edith); Mrs. Stanley Schwartz (Anne); and Mrs. Marvin Arluk (Roslyn); children of Mr. and Mrs. David Shuster; Solomon, and Schoel, children of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Shuster; Avrum, Jack, and Hyman, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Shuster; Philip, and Herman Goldfarb; Pearl Myra Rosenberg; Philip, Mark, and Rhona Schwartz; seven great-grandchildren: Harvey, and Donna, children of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Shuster; Steven, and Shari Greenblatt; Debra, and Howard, children of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Schwartz; and Anne Beverley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Goldfarb. Funeral services took place from Paperman's. Rabbi Charles Bender officiated, assisted by Cantor Joshua Rosenzweig. Burial was at Hebrew Sick Benefit Society Cemetery. Shiva was held at the home.

Alter Gilbert, 3190 Van Horne Avenue, aged eighty-five years, died on Friday, January 10, at the Montreal General Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Dina Levine Gilbert; two sons: Samuel Gilbert, 3190 Van Horne Avenue; Hyman Ribkoff, 4035 Mackenzie Street; eight grandchildren: Arnold, Arthur, and Jerry Gilbert; Isidore Ribkoff, Mrs. Donald Holly (nee Tillie Ribkoff); Harry, and Joseph Ribkoff, and Miss Ruth Ribkoff; fifteen great-grandchildren: Nathan, Marcia, and Roslyn, children of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Gilbert; Stephen, and Brenda, children of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert; Scott, and Heidi, children of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gilbert; Ina, and Isaac Holly; Monica, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ribkoff; Warren, Mark, and Frederick, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ribkoff; and Arlene, and Stephen, children of Isidore Ribkoff. Funeral services took place from Paperman's. Dr. Chaim N. Denburg, Rabbi, officiated. Burial was at Canadian Hebrew Sick Benefit Society Cemetery. Shiva was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gilbert.

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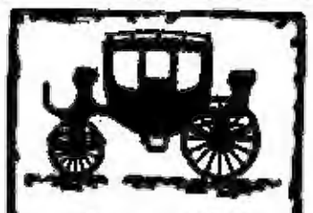
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Jordania Chapter Number 1106 Shopping Day at Simpson's Montreal, Limited, is on February 18, from 9.00 a.m., to 9.00 p.m. Proceeds go to medical care, youth program, Bnai Brith agencies, philanthropies. The theme, "Bnai Brith Around the World", will be portrayed by members dressed in native costume of countries in which there are Bnai Brith lodges and chapters. Table settings and room displays will be done by: Mrs. Solomon Frank; Samuel Moskovitch, Q. C., Mayor of Cote St. Luc, and member of the Board of Governors of the World Order of Bnai Brith; Miss Dusty Vineberg, of the Montreal Star; Mrs. Nicole Mongeau, women's editor of La Presse; Miss Michelle Tisseyre, television personality; Miss Doris Clark, women's editor of radio station CJAD; Mrs. Jehane Benoit, food consultant; Miss Elaine Bedard, television personality; Henry Blatt, president-elect of Bnai Brith Canadian District Number 22; Ted Zeigler (Johnny Jellybean), television personality. Shopping Day will present fashion shows, demonstrations, displays, door prizes, surprise features. Mrs. Philip Kolodny is president. Mrs. Louis Vogel is convener. Chairmen are: Mesdames Seymour Rosen, Samuel Kanofsky, Ben Wallace, A. Reicher, Nat Krupat, I. Blacker, David Cohen, Leonard Wendman, Jack Bishansky, Donald Goldberg, S. Snytte, S. Smolkin, Asher Garbur, Julius Feldman, Ronald Mann, A. Fraiberg, W. Silverman, D. Umansky, A. Gilbert, L. Ruthen. Blue Star Chapter Number 825 meets at 1400 Cote de Liesse Road, on February 10, at 1.15 p.m. Dr. J. Kage, national executive director of the Jewish Immigrant Aid Services of Canada, will speak on "Judaism In Tradition." Mrs. A. Leitman, 3945 Carlton Avenue, adult Jewish education chairman, is in charge of arrangements. Mrs. P. H. Savage, 2629 Soissons Avenue, is president; Mesdames L. Sheff, 907 Dunlop Avenue, secretary; Ben B. Cohen, 591 Davaar Avenue, publicity; Jack Sailer, 928 Dollard Avenue, program.

★ ISRAEL BONDS ★

Mrs. L. Klineberg, 4999 Grosvenor Avenue, will behonoured at an Israel Bond luncheon, on February 24, at 12.30 p.m., at 14 Aberdeen Avenue. Mrs. I. Shapera, and Mrs. H. W. Greenberg, daughters of Mrs. Klineberg, will be the hostesses. His worship, the Mayor of Cote St. Luc, Samuel Moskovitch, will pay tribute to her and present her with a souvenir volume containing the names of all who are honoring her through their 1964 purchases of Israel Bonds. Mrs. Klineberg, who is a life member of numerous women's organizations, including ORT; Laurentian Fresh Air Fund; Women's Auxiliary of the Jewish General Hospital; and former officer at various times, is the first woman to be elected a life member of the Combined Jewish Appeal executive; and is a member of the founding board of the Jewish General Hospital. Miss Gwethalyn Graham, co-author with Madame Solange Chaput-Rolland, will discuss their new book. Friends are invited by Mrs. Klineberg's children: Dr. Otto Klineberg, Professor of Psychology at the Sorbonne, in Paris; Jack Klineberg, 4414 Hingston Avenue; Mesdames Archie B. Bennett, 6 Burton Road, Toronto, Ontario, president of Canadian Women's ORT; Jess Ginsberg, 3555 Atwater Avenue; Henry W. Greenberg, 14 Aberdeen Avenue; Philip Meyerovitch, 4850 Cote St. Luc Road; I. M. Pascal, 4352 Hingston Avenue; and Irving Shapera, 5549 Queen Mary Road, an honorary president of Shaare Zion Sisterhood. Committee members are: Mesdames Monroe Abbey, 519 Clarke Avenue; David Ballon, 4300 Western Avenue; Dr. Anne Tarshis Batshaw, 4336 Montrose Avenue; J. B. Becker, 15 Oakland Avenue; Elsa Benjamin, 4864 Isabella Avenue; J. B. Block, 652 Grosvenor Avenue; B. M. Bloomfield, 3180 St. Sulpice Road; L. Boxer, 4375 Grand Boulevard; Allan Bronfman, 9 Belvedere Road; M. Browman, 6160 Macdonald Avenue; M. Daniels, 426 Belmont Avenue; Charles Eisenstat, 4939 Grosvenor Avenue; Jacob Elkin, of Farnham, Quebec; N. Feifer, 15 Pagnuelo Avenue; J. H. Fine, 3500 Atwater Avenue; L. Fitch, 4300 Western Avenue; S. Fohrer, 4777 Grosvenor Avenue; S. Godine, 731 Belmont Avenue; Michael Greenblatt, 1745 Cedar Avenue; D. Halpert, 6215 Beaubrough Avenue; J. Lande, 3777 Cote des Neiges Road; Ezra Lozinski, 4300 Western Avenue; E. Mauer, 4527 Kensington Avenue; David Notkin, 3743 Westmount Boulevard; J. H. Quastel, 3483 Northcliffe Avenue; Anna Raginsky, 4250 Sherbrooke Street West; William Riven, 4125 Blueridge Crescent; Esther Robinson, 3445 Cote des Neiges Road; H. Rosenfeld, 31 Maplewood Avenue, Enoch Rosskies, 571 Grosvenor Avenue; Mrs. S. M. Rothman, 4900 Madison Avenue; Rae Shulman, 625 Cote St. Antoine Road; Rosa Singer, 5480 Lemieux Street; A. Slavouski, 5543 Robinson Avenue; H. Weinstein, 2197 Crescent Street; H. Wisnithal, 84 Summit Circle; Mrs. P. Zeisler, 554 Grosvenor Avenue.

★Bertram Loeb, of Ottawa, will be honoured on February 26, by a delegation from Ottawa Lodge, Bnai Brith Number 612, as Ottawa's "Citizen of the Year" for 1963, at a testimonial dinner at the Ottawa Jewish Community Centre. The annual award of "Citizen of the Year" was inaugurated by the Lodge in 1952 and is presented to a leading resident. Recipients in recognition of their services to the community in their various fields were: Fred McCann, the late Dr. Maxwell MacOdrum, Alexander Batchermen, Very Reverend Father Rodrigue Normandin, Judge Alan Gordon McDougall, Q.C.; Mrs. John Aylen, Hon. M. Gratton O'Leary, Lawrence Freiman, Right Rev. Bishop John O. Anderson, Magistrate Glenn E. Strike, Q.C.; Frank Patten. Mr. Loeb was selected for his service to the community in education and philanthropy, and interest in medical research and commerce. In commerce, he has been a pioneer in organizing and safeguarding the interests of the small business man in an era marked by the growth of corporate giants. He is a leader in the promotion of education and industrial development of Israel, and locally his interests are in philanthropy and education and the endowment of medical research programs. Bertram Loeb was born in Ottawa, on February 5, 1916. He attended public and high schools there and then went to New York University, and the Jewish Theological Seminary, in New York, where he received the degrees of B.A. and B.M.I., respectively. After a year of post-graduate work at the Hebrew University in Jerusalem, Mr. Loeb returned to Ottawa and joined the firm of M. Loeb Limited. In 1940 he organized Number 54 Bnai Brith Air Cadet Squadron, some of whose early trainees eventually joined the R.C.A.F. In 1942 he joined the Royal Canadian Artillery where he remained until late 1945. In 1956 Mr. Loeb was appointed first chairman of the City of Ottawa Parking Authority. He also served for several years as a director of the Ottawa Board of Trade. He is a past president of the Ottawa Jewish Community Council; and former chairman of the Israel Bond Drive, United Jewish Appeal, and Community Centre campaign. In 1958, at the request of the Prime Minister of Israel, Mr. Loeb organized the first supermarket chain there, for which he was named one of Israel's "Ten Men of the Year". In 1962 Mr. Loeb received the Community Service Award from the Jewish Theological Seminary of America. He is a governor of Carleton University, in Ottawa; first vice-president of the Zionist Organization of Canada; and national chairman of the United Israel Appeal. As president and director of a number of companies in Canada and the United States engaged in food distribution, Mr. Loeb has been instrumental in helping to maintain small business enterprises in a very competitive industry.

★ JEWISH CONVALESCENT ★

Hospital Basboim Waxman Unit sponsored a study group, led by Mrs. H. H. Lubinsky, a staff member of the Family Life Education Council, to meet every Wednesday. It began on January 15, and continues for twelve consecutive weeks. A tea meeting, at 6825 Decarie Boulevard, had Mesdames I. Frachter, and M. Zeller as hostesses. Mrs. H. Waxman is president. The raffle was won by Mrs. A. Clayman. Best wishes were extended to H. Rabinovitch, who recently underwent surgery; and to Mrs. Rebecca Gasol, 4820 Bourret Street, who is in Florida. At the home of Mrs. J. Groper, 6272 Mountain Sights Avenue, Mrs. H. Diamond, vice-president, presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. H. Waxman, who is in Florida. The raffle was won by Mrs. M. Lerner. The hostess was thanked by Mrs. H. Goldman. At a meeting at Miss Montreal, Mrs. A. Clayman, was hostess. Mrs. H. Diamond presided. The raffle was won by Mrs. H. Goldman. Golden Book donations were received from Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson, 6130 Mountain Sights Avenue, on the occasion of the forthcoming bar-mitzvah of their grandson, Allan Frohlick, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Frohlick, 1491 Elizabeth Street; and from Mr. and Mrs. J. Groper, 6272 Mountain Sights Avenue, on the bar-mitzvah of their grandson, Jeffrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Groper, 2827 Ekers Avenue. Rachel Leah-Benjamin Spector Unit met at the home of Mrs. R. H. Peletz, 6930 Mountain Sights Avenue. Mrs. F. Pepper is president. Congratulations were extended to Mr. and Mrs. M. Rabinovitch, 4900 Maplewood Avenue, on their forty-third wedding anniversary. Mrs. Rabinovitch is the sister of Mrs. Peletz. Congratulations were extended to Mrs. Annie Rubenstein, 4890 Maplewood Avenue, on the marriage of her granddaughter, Miss Susanne Rubenstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Rubenstein, of Sherman Oaks, Calif., to Lawrence Kessler, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Kessler, 4475 Grand Boulevard, Montreal. Mrs. F. Pepper greeted Mrs. Rae Cohen, 4197 Nineth Avenue, on her return to the Unit after an illness. Mrs. S. Sibler thanked the hostess. David Rosenman Unit met at the home of Mrs. A. Gurevitch, 4747 Carlton Avenue. Congratulations were extended to Mrs. N. Kaufman, 2700 Aird Avenue, on the sixteenth birthday of her granddaughter Celia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Dallin, 5742 Maplelaf Street; to Mrs. B. Morris, on the sixteenth birthday of her granddaughter, Ruzena, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Kagan, 4935 Jean Brillant Avenue. Mrs. S. Finkelstein, president, thanked the hostess. A meeting was held at the home of Mrs. E. Holtzberg, 595 Bloomfield Avenue. A luncheon at the home of Mrs. I. Ruzaman, 4850 Plamondon Street, honoured the honourary president, Mrs. M. Eisenwasser. Mr. and Mrs. Eisenwasser, 5985 Decelles Avenue, are leaving shortly to take up residence in Los Angeles, Calif. Mrs. S. Finkelstein presented her with a gift. Ezra Ladies Society met at the home of Mrs. M. Levitt, 3395 Ellendale Street. Mrs. S. Lafcort is president. Basboim Waxman Unit met at the home of Mrs. W. Brookman, 4790 Bouchette Avenue. Mrs. I. Sheinfield presided, in the absence of the president, Mrs. H. Waxman. The raffle was won by Mrs. U. Tarasofsky, who thanked the hostess.

★ CANADIAN FRIENDS ★

Of The Hebrew University: Bernard M. Bloomfield was re-elected president of the Montreal Chapter at the annual dinner. Other officers re-elected were: Melvin M. Chorney, vice-president; Edward Bronfman, treasurer; Myer Deitcher, secretary. Elected to the executive were: Dr. Andre Aisenstadt, Dr. Harry Ballon, Henry Benson, Joseph Berman, Mrs. B. M. Bloomfield, Morrie A. Brotman, Gordon Brown, Percy Caplan, Samuel L. Caplan, Samuel Chalt, Q.C.; Mrs. Melvin M. Chorney, Mrs. Harry Cohen, Professor Maxwell Cohen, Q.C.; Samuel S. Cohen, Robert Cummings, Arthur Dismond, Joseph Elleson, Mrs. Jacob Elkin, Mrs. Irwin Fineberg, Dr. Gisella Freedman, H. J. Gorfinkel, Michael Greenblatt, Q.C., and Mrs. Greenblatt, Mrs. Clarence R. Gross, Bernard L. Isaacs, Dr. Philip Joseph, Q.C.; Maxwell M. Kalman, Moe Kirsch, Harold Lande, Q.C.; Lawrence Lande, Miss Rose Annie Lauterman, Ben Lechter, Dr. and Mrs. Ezra Lozinski, Dr. Harry Magder, Lawrence Marks, Q.C.; Dr. A. B. Mayman, Philip Meyerovitch, Q.C.; Arthur Pascal, Professor J. H. Quastel, Mrs. Anna Raginsky, Joe Rubin, Arthur Rudnikoff, I. Meier Segals, J. A. Shacter, William Shapray, Alvyn Shiller, Arnold Shuster, Herbert Sibiln, H. H. Stein, Dr. George J. Strean, Charles Wolfson, Q.C.

★ PIONEER WOMEN ★

Organization: A reception for canvassers and the distribution of cards for the organization's division of the Histadrut campaign takes place on February 10, at 2.00 p.m., at the Labor Zionist headquarters. The guest speaker will be Morris Blackman. Mrs. I. Rosen, and Mrs. B. Lis, Histadrut co-chairmen are in charge. On February 13, at 2.30 p.m., the afternoon forum series will be held at headquarters. As guest Morris Chaikelson will speak on "Bill 60". Mrs. William Malus, cultural co-ordinator, arranged the program. Kadima Club met at the home of Mrs. H. Lipman, 4835 Plamondon Street. A meeting at the home of Mrs. B. Pinsmacher, 5636 Phillips Avenue, had Mrs. E. Schmer as guest speaker. At the home of Mrs. E. Kovitz, 4871 Plamondon Street, Mrs. M. Kravitz was guest speaker. Geulah Club meeting, at the home of Mrs. J. Ludmer, heard Mrs. M. Hersh speak on "Bill 60", and "Biculturalism." At the home of Mrs. E. Shiggal, 4720 Lacombe Avenue, Mrs. H. Feldman gave a monologue, "Doctors And Diets". A meeting was held at the home of Mrs. H. Lewis, 5228 Borden Avenue. A tea at the home of Mrs. J. Blutstein, 5605 Clanranald Avenue, raised $53. A tea at the home of Mrs. A. Karel, 4855 Plamondon Street, raised $68.

★ WOMEN'S ORT ★

Mrs. Herbert Paperman, of the presidium, announced plans for the ORT Fantasy Ball, to take place on March 22, at the Queen Elizabeth Hotel, under the distinguished Patronage of the Premier of Quebec, the Honourable Jean Lesage and Mrs. Lesage; the Israeli Ambassador to Canada, His Excellency Mr. Gershon Avner and Mrs. Avner; the Mayor of Montreal, the Honourable Jean Drapeau, and Mrs. Drapeau. On the planning committee are: Mesdames Libby Harrison, Max Weisler, patron's chairmen; Louis Schwartzmen, arrangements; Irving Grundman, publicity; Gregory Charlap, hospitality; Joseph Y. Stotland, treasurer; Murray Backler, telephone; David Peletz, art exhibit; Irving Halperin, secretary. Gerald Frank, tickets and reservations.

★TEMPLE EMANU-EL★

Dr. Harry J. Stern, Rabbi: February 7, at 8.15 p.m., sermon: "These Are The Laws." Onag Shabbat and Kiddush reception; all are invited. February 8, at 11.30 a.m., sermonette. At the Sabbath Eve and Saturday services, Denis, son of Professor and Mrs. Alexander Brott, 5480 Earnscliffe Avenue, will be called to the Reading of the Torah in observance of his Bar Mitzvah. At the 37th annual fellowship dinner meeting between Catholics, Jews, and Protestants, on February 24, at 6.45 p.m., The Honourable Jerome Gumpert, United States Consul General in Montreal will be given the Brotherhood Award for service in the cause of improved human relations. This is the first time that the Award is given to a representative of the United States. The guest speaker will be His Excellency Gershon Avner, Israel Ambassador to Canada, on "Israel: 1964 Challenges." Reservations at the Temple office. At the Sisterhood meeting on February 11, at 1 p.m., "Feminine Mystique, Its Pros and Cons", will be discussed by: Dr. Nathan Wisebord, Mesdames Charles Cohen, Edmund Gordon, Clarence Gross. "Soup And Sherry" will be served. Reservations with Mrs. Hershell H. Lewis, WE. 3-5468; or Temple Office, WE. 3-5468. In charge of program is Mrs. Sydney Lithwick. Harold Lande, Q.C., will speak at the School For Adults on February 9, at 10.15 a.m., on "Quebec 1964, Educational Ferment." At 11 a.m., elementary Hebrew and Hebrew conversation, Mrs. Marion Cornfield, leader; Great Jewish Philosophers, Dr. Anna Stearns, leader. Services at 9.45 a.m., followed by breakfast. Mr. and Mrs. Club "Cheese and Wine Evening", is on February 16, at 7 p.m. Reservations with Mrs. Ernest Rosengarten, REgent 3-9470; Mrs. Harry Green, 277-6431. In the Religious School, the annual Purim carnival and masquerade is on February 23, and the Purim play is on February 16. The committee is: Allan Morris, Mesdames Howard Schwartz, Bruce Shore, James Apple, Mesdames Nathan Bing, Joseph Frankel. Oneg Shabbat luncheon for the High School department will be on February 15, after the Junior Congregation service at 12.30 p.m. The committee is: Misses Sherry-Lynn Simon, Ellen Zion; and Mark Young, David Jacobs, Gerald Miller. February 7 through 9 at Ivry North, Quebec, joining the Youth Group will be Youth Groups of Temple Beth Sholom, of Montreal; and of Temple Israel, of Plattsburg, N. Y. The theme of study is "God, Man, And The Jew". Speakers will be: Rabbi H. Leonard Poller, of Temple Beth Sholom; Rabbi Leivy Smolar, of Temple Emanuel, in Worcester, Mass. Gerald Miller, Temple Emanu-El Youth Advisor, is in charge. Chairmen are: Misses Barbara Springer, and Sherry-Lynn Simon. Chaperones are: Mr. and Mrs. James Apple, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Stein, Howard Schwartz, Miss Evelyn Bing. President of Temple Youth is Larry Morris.

★ HOSPITAL OF HOPE ★

Unit meeting on February 11, at 1.00 p.m., is: Brotman-Geyer, luncheon, at the home of Mrs. H. Velnick, 6227 Grand Boulevard; at 8.00 p.m., is: Margolick, at the home of Mrs. C. Bauer, 980 Alexis Nihon Boulevard. Units meeting on February 12, at 2.00 p.m., are: Baker-Kolker, at the home of Mrs. L. Rappoport, 1225 Bernard Avenue West; I. J. Borrin, at the home of Mrs. M. Machlovitch, 3285 Linton Avenue; at 8.00 p.m., is: Fraid-Philip Cohen, at the home of Mrs. J. E. Thuna, 4640 Plamondon Street. Unit meeting on February 13, at 8.00 p.m., is: Hesha Berson and Rose Moss, at the home of Mrs. H. Berson, 4017 Mackenzie Avenue. Yoisef and Chasie Pinsky Unit met at the home of Mrs. P. Shtull, 4627 Verina Avenue; Mordecai and Essie Baker, at the home of Mrs. S. Bernstein, 2627 Soisson Avenue; Baker-Kolker, at the home of Mrs. J. Reinblatt, 5772 Northmount Avenue.

★ CHEVRA T'HILIM ★

Synagogue: Rabbi M. J. Wernet: Joseph, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Rotschild, 712 de l'Epee Avenue, will be called to the Reading of the Torah, honouring his Bar Mitzvah, on February 8. On February 9, the Men's Club will be host to the Men's Club of Shevat Achim Synagogue. Breakfast will be served after services. Joseph Weinberger is refreshment chairman. Manual Fleischer is program chairman. The Sisterhood's "give and get Purim party", on February 25, at 8.30 p.m., is being convened by Mrs. Esther Quint, and Mrs. Bernard Kaplan.

★ SHAAR HASHOMAYIM ★

Synagogue, Wilfred Shachar, Rabbi: Rafael Lazar, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Lazar, 5547 Kirby Avenue, will [illegible]

★ Y.M.-Y.W.H.A ★

Jan Mensel, a young Dutch artist who settled in Montreal a few years ago, is exhibiting crayon, sanguine, and ink drawings until February 23. These are mostly related to biblical themes as well as some which the artist made on a trip in Morocco. His work has been highly praised by critics. The public is invited to the exhibition, open daily, except Friday evening and Saturday, from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

★ SPANISH AND PORTUGUESE ★

Synagogue, Rabbi, Dr. Solomon Frank: A teenage Group has been organized to meet every Thursday at 7.00 p.m. Girls and boys are invited. Officers are: president, Mark Mittleman; vice-president, Howard Cohen; treasurer, Allan Goldberg; secretary, Jim Shohet.

BIRTHS

Born, to Dr. and Mrs. Leon Lewis (nee Tamara Homburger, formerly of Haifa, Israel), of Montreal, on December 29, at the Jewish General Hospital, a son, Sheldon Daniel; grandson of Mrs. Alice Homburger, of Haifa, and the late Dr. Julius Homburger; and of Mrs. Esther Lewis, and the late Isaiah Lewis. Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. Aronoff, uncle, and aunt. Erwin Samson held the baby during the ceremony.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Singer (nee Lorraine Taran), 559 Sherwood Place, on January 6, at the Jewish General Hospital, a daughter, Tara Lynda; sister of Viva Jay, aged three years; and Sarella Beth, one; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Taran, 6255 Northcrest Place; and of Mrs. Ann Singer, 6525 Wildenton Avenue, and the late Adolph Singer; great-granddaughter of Mrs. Naomi Taran, 2089 Norman Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Levi (nee Abby Benjamin), 4780 Carlton Avenue, on January 13, at the Jewish General Hospital, a daughter, Heidi Maxine; granddaughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. Benjamin, 4917 Fulton Street; and of Mrs. Clara Levi, 4000 Dupuis Avenue, and of the late Hyman Levi; great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Saud, 4927 Fulton Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Orenstein (nee Shelley Donnenfeld), 2760 East Avenue, on January 8, at the Jewish General Hospital, a son, Michael Jay; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Donnenfeld, of the Dominican Republic; and of Mrs. Laura Orenstein, of London, England, and the late Menasha Orenstein. Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alex Spet, 2160 Van Horne Avenue, uncle, and aunt. Jacob Lerner, 5225 Decelles Avenue, held the baby during the ceremony.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Saul Gasel (nee Edith Polsky), 1300 Carol Crescent, on January 6, at the Jewish General Hospital, a daughter, Cindy Rose; sister of Lisa Laughter, Shelley, aged two years; granddaughter of Mrs. Sophie Gasel, 455 Outremont Avenue, and the late Simon Gasel; and of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Polsky, 5870 La Petite Street; great-[illegible]

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Maritimes Section

Mr. and Mrs. V. I. Sokoloff, 1756 Roble Street, Halifax, N. S., spent ten months in England and Europe.

Mrs. Ralph Zink, 41 Wedgewood Avenue, Halifax, N. S., entertained at a tea at her home, Mrs. R. C. Kerr, 44 Wedgewood Avenue, presided. Mesdames Albert Davidson, 39 Wedgewood Avenue, and Frank Rosborough, 40 Wedgewood Avenue, assisted the hostess in serving.

Mayor Joseph Zatzman, 10 Lakeside Terrace, Halifax, N. S., addressed the Dartmouth Junior Chamber of Commerce annual Civic Night, which was attended by some sixty-five members, followed by a banquet at the Woodside Fire Hall.

Isidore Zaichik, of Edmundston, N. B., was in Montreal for a week's stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Silverman, 6940 Inglewood Drive, Halifax, N. S., are back after a holiday in Tampa, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron D. Solomon, and son, David, 8 Crichton Park Road, Halifax, N. S., spent a holiday in Nassau, W. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Myer Cherwin, of Glace Bay, N. S., were in Toronto, Ont., for the marriage of Miss Sheila Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fisher, 600 Castlefield Avenue, to Arnold Linetsky, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Linetsky, 100 Queen Street East.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Brumer, and Ryna, of Moncton, N. B., visited his brother, and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. B. Brumer, 4677 Carlton Avenue, Montreal, Quebec.

Mrs. Max Pascal, 1791 Beech Street, Halifax, N. S., gave a luncheon at the Fundy Room of the Nova Scotian Hotel, on the sixteenth birthday of her daughter, Mildred.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goodman, of Tucson, Arizona, formerly of Halifax, N. S., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Gail Heather Goodman, to Elias Zaidman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Zaidman, of Mexico City, Mexico. The marriage will take place in June, in Mexico City. Miss Goodman is the granddaughter of Mrs. Jack Simon, 6 Oxford Street, Halifax. The bride-elect is a graduate of the University of Arizona, and is working towards the Master's degree in fine arts at the University of America, in Mexico City. She was active in the Playbox Theatre, and Kadimah Dancers of the Jewish Community, and was elected to the University dance, art, and drama honoraries. Her sorority is Alpha Epsilon Phi. Mr. Zaidman expects to graduate in December from the University of Mexico Medical School, in Mexico City, and to specialize in pediatric surgery.

MONTREAL
ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pedvis, 456 Dufferin Road, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Sandra Pedvis, to Dr. Gerald Sigman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sigman, 4828 Melrose Avenue. The marriage will take place on June 25, at Chevra Kadisha Bnai Jacob Synagogue.

Mr. and Mrs. Georges Weg, 3635 Ridgewood Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Sylviane Weg, to Chaim J. Borenstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Borenstein, 6255 Northcrest Place. The marriage will take place on June 21, at Young Israel Synagogue.

The engagement of Miss Frima Esther Frost, daughter of Mrs. Mary Frost, 4610 Plamondon Street, and the late Irving Frost, to Michael Joseph Rosen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudi Rosen, 2060 Trenholme Avenue, is announced. The marriage will take place in June.

TORONTO
MARRIAGES

KARMOIL-KOPSTICK

The marriage of Miss Fern Kopstick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kopstick, 489 Whitmore Avenue, and the fiancee of Morys Karmoil, son of Mr. and Mrs. K. Karmoil, 90 Bude Street, was solemnized on December 29, at half-past five o'clock, at 589 Steeles Avenue West, by Rabbi David Monson, assisted by Cantor Henry Wahrman. The bride was given in marriage by her parents. She was gowned in white, peau de soie, fitted, and re-embroidered in seed-pearl-beads; with long pointed sleeves; and full skirt, similarly embroidered on the hemline, and terminating in a chapel train. Her finger-tip-length veil of tulle illusion was combined with a rose of organza and lace; and trimmed with seed-pearl-beads. She carried a cascade bouquet of white orchids, an stephanotis. Miss Arlene Kopstick was maid of honour for her sister, wearing an emerald-green, chiffon gown, trimmed with green sequins. The bridesmaids were: Misses Edie Rabinowicz, Helena Cohn, Malka Przytuski, and Arlene Kopstick, sister of the bride. Each wore a gown of sea-foam-coloured chiffon, trimmed with white beadwork. Each had a halo of matching chiffon; and carried carnations the shade of her gown. Pamela Kopstick, sister of the bride, was flower girl. She wore a light blue, organza dress with a lace bodice; and full skirt; also a halo of blue pearl-beads, and carried a miniature bouquet of blue, and white carnations trimmed with blue ribbon. Morris Worman was best man. The ushers were: Alex Mostove, Louis Silver, and George Bernardo. Robbie Rotin was junior usher. The decorations were of chrysanthemums, and carnations. A dinner reception was held for two hundred and forty-three guests. Mrs. Kopstick, mother of the bride, was gowned in gold-coloured, peau de soie, fitted, and trimmed with beadwork; with panels in the back. Mrs. Karmoil, mother of the groom, wore a silver and gold-coloured, long, brocaded, sheath gown. Each had a matching rose headpiece; and a wristlet of white orchids. Mrs. M. Rotin, grandmother of the bride, was attired in a green, beaded, peau de soie gown. Mrs. Sarah Kopstick, grandmother of the bride, wore a brown, and silver brocaded sheath, with a matching jacket trimmed with mink. Each had a matching headpiece; and a corsage of white orchids. Mr. and Mrs. Morys Karmoil spent their honeymoon in Nassau, The Bahamas, the bride travelling in an off-white, knitted suit trimmed with embroidery. Her flowers were a corsage of white orchids. They have taken up residence at 90 Bude Street. Here for the marriage were: Harry Riafer, of Chicago, Ill.; and Mr. and Mrs. B. Karp, of Peterborough, Ont.; cousins of the bride.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Iaderstan, 154 Regina Avenue, are at Miami Beach, Florida, having gone via Trans-Canada Air Lines, at the Nautilus Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Brown, 873 Hardfort Avenue, spent a holiday at the Cromwell Hotel, in Miami Beach, Florida.

Mrs. Irving C. Rosen, 740 Eglinton Avenue West, formerly of Waterbury, Conn., is at Palm Beach, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Rotman, 10 Lawnhurst Boulevard, travelled via Trans-Canada Air Lines, to spend a two-week vacation in Puerto Rico.

Mrs. Molly Orenstein, 382 Queen Street East, is home after convalescing for over five months.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rubinoff, and son, Dr. Arthur Rubinoff, 30 Hotspor Road; and son-in-law, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. Harsaar, 333 Brighton Avenue, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Marks, 3635 Harvey Road, Cleveland, Ohio, brother, and sister-in-law of Mrs. Rubinoff.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Steinberg, 4389 Bathurst Street, and their son-in-law, and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. Turgel, and son, Steven, 4854 Bathurst Street, visited Mr. Turgel's mother, Mrs. Blanche Turgel, 1458 Hollywood Boulevard, Hollywood, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Muskat, 650 Briar Hill Avenue, were in Montreal, Quebec, for the bar-mitzvah of Gary, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brumer, 5633 Jellicoe Street, at Chevra Kadisha Bnai Jacob Synagogue.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Sheldon, 176 Searle Street, visited their nephew, and niece, Mr. and Mrs. S. Perzow, 5785 Westminster Avenue, Montreal, Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Rosenblatt, 6 Connaught Circle, returned from a visit to Jerusalem and Israel.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hoffman, 2805 Bathurst Street, and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hoffman, 67 Fenelon Drive, returned via Trans-Canada Air Lines, from a vacation at the Americana Hotel, in Miami Beach, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Kalpin, 51 Timberlane Drive, visited her brother, and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Max Weigensberg, 3033 Westover Street, Montreal, Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Blackstien, 483 Lytton Boulevard, went to Miami Beach, Florida, via Trans-Canada Air Lines.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sugarman, 320 Betty Ann Drive, are on a two-week vacation, on a Caribbean cruise.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Goldhar, and children, Daniel, Nancy, Renanah, and Heather, 124 Old Forest Hill Road, visited her mother, Mrs. Sylvia Pass, of Miami Beach, Florida, having travelled via Trans-Canada Air Lines.

Mr. and Mrs. Manny Manis, and family, Esther, Joyce, and Lisa, formerly of 28 Camborne Avenue, have moved to 21 Fulwell Crescent.

In Montreal, Quebec, for the marriage of Miss Loralyn Rosen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Howard Rosen, of Vancouver, B. C., to Daniel Wainberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wainberg, 4600 Western Avenue, at the Windsor Hotel, were: Mr. and Mrs. L. Sukloff, 152 Old Forest Hill Road; and Howard Beck, 1691 Gerard Street East.

Mrs. Dora Goldhar, 180 Old Forest Hill Road, is visiting Mrs. Sylvia Pass, Miami Beach, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steinberg, 35 Invermay Avenue, returned via Trans-Canada Air Lines, from a two-week vacation at Nassau, W. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Brodkin, 95 Ridge Hill Drive, entertained fifty guests at a cocktail party, at their home, to celebrate the engagement of Miss Phyllis (Faigie) Kalb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kalb, 7 Fraserwood Avenue, to their son, Herbert Brodkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gottlieb, and daughter, Heidi, 77 Wembley Road, were at the Coronet Hotel, in Miami Beach, Florida.

Mrs. Jack A. Klein, 4300 Western Avenue, Montreal, Quebec, is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Jerry Friedman, and Jacqueline, Eric, and new-born daughter, Margot Susan, 19 Heathcote Avenue.

Here for the engagement celebration of Miss Marilyn Dvorah Berman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berman, 88 Lynn Haven Road, to Jack Bercovitch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Bercovitch, 4612 Esplanade Avenue, Montreal, Quebec, who were here for the occasion, were: Leonard Bercovitch, and Miss Libby Bercovitch, brother, and sister of the groom-to-be; Mr. and Mrs. H. Marcus, 6620 Parkview Road, brother-in-law, and sister of the groom-elect; and Mr. and Mrs. T. Herscovitch, 6352 Mountain Sights Avenue, uncle, and aunt of the groom-to-be, all of Montreal, Quebec.

Miss Esther Gary, 25 Austin Terrace, was at the Cromwell Hotel, in Miami Beach, Florida.

Mrs. Henry Singer, 160 Balmoral Avenue, journeyed via Trans-Canada Air Lines, to Miami Beach, Florida, for a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Korn, 57 Timberlane Drive, went via Trans-Canada Air Lines, to Miami Beach, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harris, formerly of 117 Chaplin Crescent, have moved to 20 Shallmar Boulevard.

David Burstyn, 71 Shelborne Avenue, came home via Trans-Canada Air Lines, from Winnipeg, Man., where he spent two weeks visiting his brother-in-law, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Barish (nee Frances Burstyn), formerly of Toronto, and his nephews, Allan, and Howard.

Mrs. E. Rottman, 57 Charleswood Drive, are back from Miami, Florida.

David Peters, 245 Coxwell Avenue, took a holiday at the Cromwell Hotel, in Miami Beach, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Greenberg, 2400 Bathurst Street, have left for a motor trip to Chicago, Ill., New Orleans, Louisiana, and Houston, Texas.

Mrs. Joseph Burstyn, 71 Shelborne Avenue, has left via Trans-Canada Air Lines, for Winnipeg, Man., to spend a month visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Barish, and her grandsons; Howard, and Allan. Mrs. Barish is the former Miss Frances Burstyn, of Toronto.

Mrs. Lily Bergman, 2700 Bathurst Street, left via Trans-Canada Air Lines, for a six week holiday in Florida. On her return, Mrs. Bergman will stop off in New York, for a few weeks, to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Godfrey, 139 Regina Avenue, returned from a two-week vacation, in Miami Beach, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Cooper, and Mark, and Lorne, formerly of 15 Meadowbrook Avenue, entertained at a housewarming and cocktail party, at their new home 7 Glenarden Road, with these guests present: Mr. and Mrs. M. Ochsborn, Mr. and Mrs. P. Steinhart, Mr. and Mrs. David Ruby, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sadowski, Mr. and Mrs. George Szigeti, Mr. and Mrs. I. Cadesky, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kates, Lionel Simbrow, Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Melteen, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Strom. Mrs. Cooper wore a pink, hostess skirt, with a black knitted bodice. The table decorations were centerpieces of fruit, with candelabra.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Sugarman, 650 Eglinton Avenue West, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at a dinner. They have two sons: Benjamin Sugarman, 650 Eglinton Avenue West; and Sidney Sugarman, 519 Brookdale Avenue; a daughter, Mrs. Jerry Kates (Edith), 10 Garthdale Court; five grandchildren: Louise, and Stephen, children of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Sugarman; Shelley, and Hart, children of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Sugarman; and Harold Kates. Mrs. Sugarman's mother, Mrs. Lillian Greben, 1085 Eglinton Avenue West, who is over one hundred years old, was also present.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jessel, 1050 Briar Hill Avenue, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at their home with their family and friends. They have two sons, Max Jessel, 8 Geddes Court; and Bernard Jessel, 43 Wasdale Crescent; four grandchildren: Mrs. A. Sandler (Gail), 200 Elm Street; and Nadine, children of Mr. and Mrs. Max Jessel; and Bryan, and Bonita, children of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Jessel.

Sheldon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sacks, 46 Sparrow Avenue, was called to the Reading of the Law, in celebration of his bar-mitzvah at Keltzer Synagogue. He is the brother of Michael, aged seventeen years. Kiddush was followed by a luncheon. That same evening a dinner reception was held at Judean Brotherhood Temple, Mrs. Sacks was gowned in a lime-green, peau de soie sheath, fashioned with a scooped neckline; cap sleeves; and an over-blouse, worked with green sequins. Her flowers were a corsage of tinted, green orchids. Seated at the head table with the above were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Saxe, 21 Kinons Drive; Mr. and Mrs. H. Horowitz, 10 Wishart Place, uncles, and aunts of the bar-mitzvah boy; and Mr. and Mrs. N. Stoleman, 549 Lawrence Avenue West. L. Rubin, 40 Barclay Road, asked the blessing over the challah. Those who participated in the lighting of the candles besides the above were: Jack, Ruth, and Sheldon Saxe; Melvyn, Marlin, Sheila, and Stanley Horowitz; Rubin, and Maxine Lucatch; Sheldon, and Carol Smith; Marvin, Gail, and Sheldon Horowitz; Steven, Carol, and Dena Sacks; Steven, and Linda Horowitz; Sharon Levine, and Frank Horowitz; all cousins of the bar-mitzvah boy; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Fleishman, 26 Rabton Court, godparents of the bar-mitzvah boy; Jeffrey Shalk, Michael Kanner, and Robert Frimet. The head-table was decorated with gold-coloured, and yellow chrysanthemums, gladioli, and roses. Those who came here for the bar-mitzvah were: Mr. and Mrs. John Crossman, of Oshawa, Ont.; and Mr. and Mrs. R. Maffey, of Kitchener, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berman, 88 Lynn Haven Road, entertained at a party, to mark the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marilyn Dvorah Berman, to Jack Bercovitch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Bercovitch, 4612 Esplanade Avenue, Montreal, Que., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Caplan, 20 Blue Forest Drive, uncle and aunt of the bride-elect. Mrs. Berman, mother of the bride-elect, was attired in a gold metallic, sleeveless, sheath dress, with a scooped neckline. Mrs. Bercovitch, mother of the groom-elect, was attired in a black, re-embroidered, peau-de-soie dress, styled with a scooped neckline; and sheath skirt. Mrs. Ethel Rich, 3896 Bathurst Street, and Mrs. Hilda Berman, 163 Palm Drive, grandmothers of the bride-to-be, each wore a black, crepe, sheath dress. Mrs. C. Caplan was in a green, ribboned-knitted dress. Miss Marilyn Berman, the bride-to-be, was attired in a cocktail dress, composed of a pink, chiffon, blouson bodice; and a full skirt of pink, and white lace, over white organza. She had a wristlet of pink, and white roses. The buffet table was adorned with a centrepiece of pink and white chrysanthemums, and gladioli, and white candelabra. Those here from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. Moses Bercovitch, parents of the groom-to-be, and Leonard Bercovitch, and Miss Libby Bercovitch; Mr. and Mrs. H. Marcus, 6620 Parkview Road, brother-in-law, and sister of the groom-to-be; and Mr. and Mrs. T. Herscovitch, 6352 Mountain Sights Avenue, uncle, and aunt of the groom-to-be, all of Montreal, Quebec.

David Steven, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dime, 95 Baycrest Avenue, was called to the Reading of the Law in celebration of his bar-mitzvah, at Adath Israel Synagogue. He is the brother of Larry, aged six years; and Charles, four; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stein, 1071½ Concord Avenue; and of Mrs. Ida Dime, 534 Palmerston Boulevard. Kiddush was observed. A reception was held the same evening at the synagogue banquet hall. Mrs. Dime wore an apricot-coloured, chiffon gown, trimmed with beadwork; and her flowers were a corsage of white orchids. Mrs. Ida Dime, wore a champagne-coloured, chiffon gown, with beaded bodice; and her flowers were a wristlet of Tea roses. Mrs. Stein was attired in pale pink peau de soie; with a wristlet of pink, and red roses. Seated at the head table with the above was David Ostry, 8 Chater Court, a cousin, who acted as master of ceremonies. Mr. Stein, grandfather, asked the blessing over the challah. Those who lit the candles besides the above were: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stein, 57 Braemar Avenue; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ostry, 8 Chater Court; Mr. and Mrs. Lou. Stein, 23 Evanston Drive; all uncles, and aunts; Mrs. Jack Foreman, of Hamilton, Ont.; Mrs. S. Pushkoff, 3835 Bathurst Street; Mrs. P. Brown, 41 Lynn Haven Road; all great aunts; Mr. and Mrs. I. Green, 46 Barclay Avenue, great uncle, and aunt; Rebecca Ostry, 8 Chater Court; Eleanor, and Arthur Stein, all cousins; Mark Levine, David Blinick, Jack Onrot, Tony Brunac, Larry Lerner, Barry Waltman, Marty Perlmutter, Lenny Atkin, Leslie Schniffer, David Factor, Marvin Kuretsky, and Lorie Goldstein; all friends of the bar-mitzvah boy. The table centrepiece was composed of white snapdragons, and gladioli. Here for the occasion were: Mrs. Bertha Cole, of Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Philip Rubin, of St. Catharines, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Yanover, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Black, of Belleville, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. Morris Marder, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Black, Mrs. Gertrude Siegal; all of Oshawa, Ont.; Mrs. Jules Abrahamson, of Pembroke, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bernard, of Sarnia, Ont.; and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shapero, of Hamilton.

BIRTHS

Born, Mr. and Mrs. Saul White (nee Beverly Kirsh), 122 Fortrose Crescent, at the New Mount Sinai Hospital, on January 22, a son, Jason Stewart; brother of Cheryl, aged five and one-half years; Michele, three and one-half; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel White, 14 Regina Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. David Kirsh, 10 Shallmar Boulevard; great-grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Zaretsky, 16 Shallmar Boulevard. Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. Gladman, 9 Majestic Court, great-uncle, and great-aunt of the baby.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Glass (nee Roselyn Plener), 15 Luverne Avenue, on January 25, at the Women's College Hospital, a son, Joseph Benjamin; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Plener, 287 St. John's Road; and of Mrs. Esther Glass, 1298 Queen Street East, and the late Joseph Glass; great-grandson of Isaac Plener, 116 Viewmount Avenue. The godparents are: Mrs. Ruth Marcovitz, aunt, and Melvin Marcovitz, cousin; both of 4 Rannock Street. Moishe Stern, 3886 Bathurst Street, great uncle, held the baby during the ceremony.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Green (nee Miriam Halpern), on January 23, at the New Mount Sinai Hospital, a daughter, Chava Gittel Yehudes; sister of Eric, aged nine years; Cary, seven; and Kevin, five; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael S. Halpern; and of Mr. and Mrs. Lipe Green; all of Toronto.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Taub (nee Shirley Cooper), 3638 Bathurst Street, on January 22, at New Mount Sinai Hospital, a son, Ian Jeffrey; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. David Taub, 39 Raglan Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Cooper, 38 Hallsport Crescent. The godparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cooper, 21 Elway Court. Rabbi Bernard Rosensweig held the baby during the ceremony.

Born, to Dr. and Mrs. Jerry Friedman (nee Lois Klein), 19 Heathcote Avenue, on January 23, at the New Mount Sinai Hospital, a daughter, Margot Susan; sister of Jacqueline, aged four and one-half years; and Eric, two; granddaughter of Mrs. Jack A. Klein, 4300 Western Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. Saul Friedman, 3495 Mountain Street; great-granddaughter of Mrs. Mina Cohen, 4300 Western Avenue; all of Montreal, Quebec.

Born, to Dr. and Mrs. Philip Kauffman (nee Florence Berger), 17 High Point Road, at the New Mount Sinai Hospital, on January 27, a daughter, Lisa Rose; sister of Richard, aged sixteen years; Michelle, nine; Eric, six; and Kevin, five; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Kauffman, 483 Glengarry Avenue; and of Mrs. Tessie Berger, 17 High Point Road.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Freed (nee Phyllis Miles), 48 Regency Square, on February 1, at the Toronto East General Hospital, a daughter, Corilyn Ruth; granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Freed, of Ottawa, Ont.; and of Mr. and Mrs. Purdy Miles, of Kingston, Ont.; great-granddaughter of Mrs. Annis Kraft, of Ottawa, Ont.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Hyman (Shalton, 80 Transwall Avenue, on January 29, at the New Mount Sinai Hospital, a son, Stephen; brother of Sandra Lynn, aged ten years; Howard Mark, four and one-half; grandson of Mrs. Mary Vigon, 1704 Markham Street and of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Chalken, 49 Wales Avenue.

BAR-MITZVAHS

Daniel B., son of Mr. and Mrs. Moshe Kurtz, 651 Woburn Avenue, was called to the Reading of the Law, in celebration of his bar-mitzvah, at Shaarei Tefillah Synagogue. He is the brother of Joel, aged seventeen years; Judy Anne, fifteen; and Naomi, two; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Max Kurtz, 708 Woburn Avenue; and of Mrs. Rose Klagsbrun, 651 Woburn Avenue. A Kiddush luncheon followed the services.

Marshall Godfrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Godfrey, 139 Regina Avenue, will be called to the Reading of the Law, in celebration of his bar-mitzvah, of March 7, at Bnai Israel Beth David Synagogue. He is the grandson of Mrs. I. Feldman, 33 Colt Avenue, and the late Max Bregman; and of Mrs. Edith Godfrey, 1705 Bathurst Street, and the late Henry Godfrey. Kiddush will be observed. A dinner and reception will be held the same night at the synagogue hall.

IN MEMORIAM

MILLER: In loving memory of our beloved mother, Mrs. Esther Miller, who passed away February 1, 1951, the 24th day of Shevat, always remembered and sadly missed by children, Mrs. S. Shiffman (Rose), Morris, and Charles Miller, and grandchildren.

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Memories that will always linger, while upon this earth we stay.

Sadly missed by their children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.

DEATHS

Isadore Weisman, 835 Westmoreland Avenue, died at the Toronto Western Hospital, on January 11, at the age of sixty-three years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ann Weisman; three sons: Harvey Weisman, Barry Weisman, and Jack Weisman; two sisters: Mrs. Joseph Batcher (Gertie), 249 Euclid Avenue; and Mrs. Harry Slater (Caroline), of Rochester, N. Y. Cantor Sholom Weinstein officiated at funeral services. Interment was at Park Lawn cemetery.

Mrs. Frances (Rasminsky) Ross, 10 Shallmar Boulevard, died at the New Mount Sinai Hospital, on January 15, at the age of fifty-seven years. She is survived by her husband, Irving (Rasminsky) Ross; three sisters: Mrs. D. Weinraub (Anne); Mrs. S. Gould (Lil); Mrs. K. Seigel (Bertha); all of Miami, Florida; and a brother, Harry Taberman, of Detroit, Mich. Rabbi Walter Wurzburger officiated at funeral services. Interment was at Shaarei Shomayim section of Mount Sinai cemetery. Shiva was at the home.

Mrs. Sarah Cohen, 1652 Bathurst Street, died at Toronto General Hospital, on January 11, at the age of seventy-two years. She is survived by her husband, Harry Cohen; two brothers: Samuel Posner, 232 Lonsmount Avenue; Jack Posner, Newark, N. J.; and a sister, Mrs. Jack Sterling (Minnie), 818 Briar Hill Avenue. Rabbi L. Hurwitz officiated at funeral services. Interment was at workmen's Circle cemetery. Shiva was private. Mrs. Cohen was on the first executive of the Jewish Home for the Aged.

George J. Novak, 215 Glenayr Road, died at the Doctors' Hospital, on January 22, at the age of forty-nine years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Esther Novak; three sons: Bill, aged fifteen years; Bob, thirteen; Barry, eleven; two brothers: Bernard Novak, 204 Richview Avenue; Harry Novak, of London, Ont.; and two sisters: Miss Frances Novak, 1660 Bathurst Street; and Mrs. Samual Faith (Betty), 3 Rostrevor Road. Rabbi David Monson officiated at funeral services at Beth Sholom Synagogue. Interment was at Mount Sinai Memorial Park. Shiva was at the home.

Abraham Cohen, 55 Park Hill Road, died at his home, on January 23, at the age of eighty-one years. He was the widower of Mrs. Ella Cohen; and is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Alexander Cole (Beatrice), 650 Briar Hill Avenue; a son, Arthur Cole, 576 St. Clements Avenue; two grandchildren: Michael Cole; and Mrs. Murray Taube (Corinne), 33 Shallmar Boulevard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Cole; two great-grandchildren: Gary, and Joanne Taube; a sister, Mrs. Minnie Berman, 1305 The Queensway; and seven brothers: Barney Cohen, David Cohen, Harry Cohen, all of 1035 Bathurst Street; Saul Cohen, Samuel Cohen, of Detroit Mich.; Robert Cohen, of Windsor, Ont.; and Moe Cohen, of Miami Beach, Florida. He was the brother of the late Arthur Cohen. Rabbi David Monson officiated at funeral services. Interment was at Mount Sinai Memorial Park. Shiva was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cole.

Morris Cronsilver, of the Jewish Home for the Aged, died at the Home, on January 16, at the age of eighty-two years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Rose Cronsilver; two sons: Louis Cronsilver, 221 Concord Avenue; Samuel Cronsilver, of Quebec City, Quebec; a daughter, Mrs. H. Fichtenbaum (Tillie), 1303 Wilson Avenue; four grandchildren: Randy and David, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Cronsilver; Selena and Rhonda Fichtenbaum. Interment was at Dawes Road Cemetery. Shiva was observed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Fichtenbaum.

Morris (Mitchell) Sokoloff, 470 Wilson Avenue, died at the Doctors' Hospital, on January 24, at the age of fifty-seven years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Esther Sokoloff, and a daughter, Mrs. Barry Ross (Shirley), 212 Parkholme Avenue; two grandchildren, Sandy, and Fern Ross; two sisters: Mrs. B. Steinberg (Lil), 201 Glen Cedar Road; and Miss Gertrude Sokoloff, 201 Glen Cedar Road; four brothers: Harry Sokoloff, 142 Marlee Avenue; Ben Sokoloff, 65 Ridge Hill Drive; Boris Sokoloff, 45 Prince Charles Drive; and Julius Sokoloff, 66 Whitmore Avenue. Rabbi David Monson, and Rabbi Aaron Zimmerman officiated at funeral services. Interment was at Pride of Israel section, Mount Sinai Memorial Park. Shiva was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barry Ross.

Mrs. Annie Bensky, 595 Old Orchard Grove, died at the Branson Hospital, on January 21, at the age of fifty-six years. She was the widow of Goodman Bensky; and is survived by a son, Sollie Bensky, of Toronto; and a daughter, Miss Zelda Bensky; a grandson, Michael Bensky; and a sister, Mrs. David Obornick (Fanny), 207 Lynedock Crescent. Rabbi Bernard Rosensweig officiated at funeral services at the College Memorial Chapel. Interment was at Stoplitzer Society section of Bathurst Lawn cemetery. Shiva was at the home.

David Pasternak, 10 Wasdale Crescent, died at the New Mount Sinai Hospital, on January 31, at the age of fifty-five years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Betty Pasternak; a daughter, Mrs. J. Lewis (Marilyn), 4918 Bathurst Street; and a son, Lawrence Pasternak; three brothers: Frank Pasternak, 1302 Queen Street East; Louis Pasternak, 539 Brunswick Avenue; Hyman Pasternak, 525 Coldstream Avenue; and a sister: Mrs. J. Zernitsky (Esther), 3883 Bathurst Street. Rabbi I. Hurwitz officiated at the funeral services. Interment was at Mount Sinai Memorial Park. Shiva was observed at the home.

Mrs. Hannah Lebo, 2895 Bathurst Street, died on January 26, at the age of seventy-seven years. She is survived by three sons: Samuel Lebo, 119 Braemar Avenue; Thomas Lebo, 627 Briar Hill Avenue, Jack Lebo, 239 Armour Boulevard; and a daughter, Mrs. M. Halbert (Beatrice Bert), 152 Highbourne Road; six grandchildren: Joel Halbert; Mark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lebo; Donna, and Paul, children of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lebo; and Jimmy, and David, children of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lebo. Rabbi Stuart Rosenberg officiated at funeral services at Beth Tzedec Synagogue. Interment was at Beth Tzedec Memorial Park. Shiva was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Halbert.

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TORONTO MEETINGS

★B'NAI ISRAEL BETH DAVID ★

Synagogue: Rabbi Albert Pappenheim: The Sisterhood gave a model meeting program with the United Synagogue Youth Group, as a discussion of contemporary interests and Israeli dancing. The president is Barry Taub; director, Gerry Hyman; assistant director, Sheldon Kirsh. On the program were: Misses Ruth Gertzbein, Leah Hillstone, Heather Weinstein, Elaine Spilah, Heather Freedman, Aria Weiner, Linda Bloom, Sharon Cohen, Paula Woonick; and David Kogon, Ian Noy, Michael Shulman, Jerry Weiner, Bernard Yaphe, Wayne Novack. Sisterhood reports were given by: Mesdames J. Steiner, Bernard Weinstein, Samuel Bloom, Belle Berlin, Jack Schiffer, Alfred Pilch, S. Weiner, Jack Gertzbein, Abe Wagman, Samuel Shulman, Mrs. Joseph Feldt is president of the Sisterhood. The Brotherhood heard David Newman, Q. C., as guest speaker, at a breakfast meeting, on "The Legends Of The Talmud", Harold Cohen, president of the Brotherhood, presided. The speaker was introduced by the program chairman, Joseph Feldt, and thanked by Rabbi Albert Pappenheim. Synagogue Sisterhood met with Mrs. Joseph Feldt presiding. The D'Var Torah was read by Mrs. Joseph Steiner. The program, "Youth Speaks Out," was presented by the United Synagogue Youth group as a model meeting and discussion. On this program were Gerry Hyman, youth director, and Sheldon Kirsh, assistant. The program was introduced by Mrs. Jack Gertzbein, Sisterhood representative to the United Synagogue Youth. The Youth were thanked by Mrs. Louis Freedman, Sisterhood Youth vice-president. Reports were given by: Mesdames Alfred Pilch, library; Abe Wagman, Ontario Branch, National Women's League spring conference; Ethel Allin, Brownies; Mrs. Sam. Bloom, ceremonial, and gift shop; Ted Bloom, choir; Sidney Weiner, souvenir book; Samuel Shulman, supper; Bernard Weinstein, sunshine.

★MIZRACHI-HAPOEL★

Hamizrachi Minnie Etlin Chapter met at the home of Mrs. M. Swartz, 543 Deloraine Avenue. Mrs. J. Ross, president, presided. Ways and means for raising money were discussed. Various projects will be undertaken. Money was collected for Passover baskets for Israel. A raffle was won by Mrs. J. Wohlgelernter. Assisting the hostess were: Mesdames M. Kurta, J. Ross, B. Elsen.

★ ADATH ISRAEL ★

Synagogue: At the Sisterhood annual sherry party Mrs. Harry Bruner presented Kidduah cups to Mrs. Jack Ross, and Mrs. Gerald Weisbrod, in honour of their barmitzvah boys, Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ross, 40 Lilywood Road; and Michael, son of Dr. and Mrs. Gerald Weisbrod, 10 Model Avenue. At the Sisterhood board meeting the vice-president, Mrs. David Silverman presided. The D'Var Torah was given by Mrs. Ben Abbott. The secretaries are: Mesdames A. Collis, Samuel Shain, Harry Tinianov. Reports were given by these chairmen: Mesdames Harry Solomon, donor; Norman Trachter, gift and ceremonial shop; George Starr, school board; Sidney Kaell, paid-up membership party; William Retman, gifts; Edwin Ryde, Israeli Affairs; Sammy Taft; Ben Kaplan, in the absence of Harry Chadwick, Torah Fund and Mathilda Schechter Residence Hall; Louis Eisenstat, youth; Samuel Warren, Ontario Branch National Women's League Conference, of which Mrs. Joseph Grossman, of this Synagogue, is branch conference chairman. The conference will be held at the Synagogue on May 4; and at Beth Tzedec Synagogue on May 5. Mrs. Henry Rosenberg, in the absence of Mrs. Sidney Starkman, reported on the Purim Ball, at the Synagogue on February 22, at 9.00 p.m.

★TORONTO COUNCIL★

Of Jewish Brotherhoods elected: immediate past president, Norman Grant, Holy Blossom Temple; president, Jules Surdin, Beth Tzedec Synagogue; vice-president, Harold Cohen, Bnai Israel Beth David Synagogue; treasurer, Julius Shapero, Shaarei Shomayim Synagogue; secretaries; Dr. Bernard Collins, Adath Israel Synagogue; Paul Mintz, Beth Jacob Synagogue. They will be installed on March 16, at Beth Tzedec Synagogue. The guest speaker will be Rabbi Stuart B. Rosenberg, of Beth Tzedec Synagogue.

★Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Turk (nee Eva Fishman), 318 Rusholme Road, entertain every month at the Baycrest Hospital and Home for the Aged. Also in their cast are: Joseph Fine, Sidney Winston, Jerry Levine, and Robert Saahter. This is called "Mazel Tov" night, and the work is voluntary.

★ BETH EL ★

Synagogue Sisterhood will meet on February 11, at 8.30 p.m., for the observance of the Feast of Purim, which will be celebrated on February 27. Mrs. B. Chapman is president. Mrs. C. Levine, guest speaker, who was born in Persia, will describe the clothing of the Persian women. Members are invited to participate in a hat-making contest. A grand prize will be awarded for the most original design. Refreshments will be served by the committee of the month: Mesdames P. Fraser, M. Beckerman, M. Jacobs, D. Kaminker, H. Katz, H. Ross, M. Siegelman, H. Skrow, M. Strauss.

★ HEBREW MEN OF ENGLAND ★

Synagogue Executive members are: P. Rubin, past president; S. Gwartzman, president; M. H. Katzman, vice-president; H. Jacobson, treasurer; Sydney Himel, S. Fruitman, H. Bobkin, trustees; Frank Schwartz, Harold Silverstein, secretaries. Others are: M. Adams, Leo Back, H. Bergman, Samuel Fruitman, J. Glaser, N. Halter, D. Himel, H. R. Moscoe, Q. C.; P. Rubin, S. Sperling, Leo Szigeti, A. Tobe, Harry Tobe, Charles Tobe, Louis Savein, D. Cohen. The new Synagogue will be at the corner of Bathurst and Viewpoint Streets in North York, a six-phase building project. It will consist of a two-story building with parking facilities under it and fully air conditioned; auditorium to seat over 400 persons, with stage and kitchen facilities; lower floor of four classrooms and administration offices for the entire six buildings; a social hall to seat 750 persons comfortably; a Chapel to seat 400 persons; a Sanctuary for over 2,000 persons; a school with twelve classrooms; and a gymnasium with inside swimming pool; outside terraces for summer summer social events; outside parking for over three hundred cars. Construction cost for the entire synagogue is estimated at $2,000,000.

★ UNITED JEWISH APPEAL ★

Women's Division opening luncheon had as hostess Mrs. Alfred C. Cowan, chairman of crown gifts, at the Primrose Club. Mrs. Cowan was unable to be present. Mrs. Burt J. Siris, of Rye, N. Y., chairman of the advisory board of the Women's Division of Greater New York United Jewish Appeal, was guest speaker. Head table guests besides Mrs. Siris were: Mesdames John Devor, Ray Wolfe, David Wodlinger, J. Okun, Mark Levy. The new executive is: Mesdames Mark Levy, immediate past president; John Devor, re-appointed chairman; Ray D. Wolfe, David Wodlinger, vice-chairmen; Carl C. Cole, secretary.

CLASS IN COOKERY

COCONUT DROP COOKIES

one cup dates
one cup walnuts
three-quarters cup sugar
ten red, and green maraschino cherries
two eggs
one teaspoon vanilla
one tablespoon butter or margarine
one and one-half cups coconut
one-eighth teaspoon salt

Beat eggs and add sugar gradually. Add softened butter or margarine. Mix well. Add chopped walnuts, chopped dates, slivered cherries, and vanilla. Mix thoroughly. Add coconut to batter. If batter is too soft add more coconut, enough to handle. Roll dough into small balls and place on a slightly greased pan. Bake at 400 to 425 degrees for twenty minutes or until lightly browned.

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CHEESE CAKE

two pounds creamed cottage cheese
one cup sugar
four eggs
one cup sweet cream
one cup sour cream
one tablespoon vanilla
three tablespoons flour
fourteen single graham wafers
one-quarter pound melted butter

Crush wafers and mix with melted butter. Line bottom of nine-inch-square pan with mixture, leaving three-quarters of a cup for topping. Cream cheese and gradually add sugar, mixing well. Add eggs, one at a time. Add both cups of cream and vanilla. Add flour last. Pour batter into pan lined with wafers and top with remaining crumbs. Bake for one hour at 350 degrees.

Mrs. B. Rotman,
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Sabbath Candles will be kindled on

February 7, at 4.51 p.m., E.S.T., in Montreal

February 7, at 5.18 p.m., E.S.T., in Toronto

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BLACKSTIEN-LEON

The marriage of Miss Rochelle Leon, 4 Mascot Place, to Seymour Blackstien, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Blackstien, 483 Lytton Boulevard, was solemnized at Beth Sholom Synagogue, on October 23, at six o'clock, by Rabbi David Monson, assisted by Cantor Henry Wahrman. The bride was given in marriage by her father. She was gowned in white peau de soie, designed with a fitted bodice; long sleeves; scooped neckline; and bouffant skirt, which was terminated with a chapel train, and was re-embroidered with appliques of Alencon lace, as was the neckline. Her long veil of tulle illusion was topped by a crystal crown. She carried a prayer book, with white, and yellow-tinted orchids. Miss Jacqueline Leon, sister of the bride, was maid of honour. Her long gown was sleeveless, fashioned of blue, peau de soie, with a bow on one shoulder; a fitted bodice, trimmed with chiffon; and a bell-shaped skirt. Mrs. Allan Blackstien, sister-in-law of the groom, was matron of honour, wearing an Empire gown of blue chiffon, with bead-work on the bodice. Each carried a cascade bouquet of yellow roses; and had a matching headpiece of tulle and flowers. Arlene Banack, and Sharon Crystal, cousins of the groom, were bridesmaids. Each wore a gown of blue, peau de soie, styled with a brocaded bodice; scooped neckline; and full skirt. Each carried a bouquet of yellow roses; and had a matching headpiece. Fern Banack, cousin of the groom, and Marsha Davidson, cousin of the bride, were attendants, each wearing a blue organza dress, with jacket of lace, and a bouffant skirt; also a crown of pearl beads and flowers; with a nosegay of yellow roses. Pamela Blackstien, and Janice Goldstien, nieces of the groom, were flower girls. They were dressed like the other attendants; carried baskets of yellow rose petals; and had crowns of flowered petals. Allan Blackstien, brother of the groom, was best man. The ushers were: Murray Goldstien, brother-in-law of the groom; Stephen Altwarger; Gerald Gold, and Larry Cappe, cousins of the bride; David Blackstien, and Ronald Banack, cousins of the groom; Allan Wakman, and Barry Shapiro. At a dinner reception, in the banquet hall of the synagogue, three hundred and seventy-five guests were present. The altar, like the reception hall, was decorated with yellow roses. Mrs. Leon, mother of the bride, was gowned in gold-coloured lame, fashioned with cap sleeves; scooped neckline; sheath skirt; and back panels. Mrs. Blackstien, mother of the groom, was attired in a mushroom-coloured, and light brown, brocaded gown, with chiffon trimming on the bodice; and completely beaded. Each had a matching headpiece; and a wrist-let of orchids. Mrs. Malka Blackstien, 656 Briar Hill Avenue, grandmother of the groom, wore a long brown, brocaded gown, and its jacket; also a feathered, matching hat, and veil; with a corsage of yellow roses. Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Blackstien spent their honeymoon in Los Angeles, and San Francisco, Calif.; Las Vegas, Nevada; and Chicago, Ill. The bride travelled in a pink knitted suit, trimmed with white embroidery; a pink, and white hat; and a white, fox stole. Her flowers were a corsage of orchids. Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Blackstien are residing at 300 Finch Avenue West. Here from a distance for the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Borin Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Leon, and Allan Leon, of Hamilton, Ont., all uncles, and aunts of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Philip Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Leon, Jack, and Sydney Leon, Misses Patricia, and Jacqueline Leon, and Mr. and Mrs. David Lees, of Hamilton, Ont.; all cousins of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. W. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. S. Price, Mr. and Mrs. A. Vertlieb, Mr. and Mrs. F. Vigodny, Mr. and Mrs. J. Tick, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Krieger, and Mr. and Mrs. David Polan, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lipson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Goldstein, and Mrs. Sarah Laskin; all of Hamilton, Ont.; Mrs. B. Cole, of Chicago, Ill., great-aunt of the groom; Mrs. S. Cohen, Mrs. C. Lux, Mrs. D. Laderman, of Detroit, Mich., cousins of the groom; and Mrs. B. Gersh, of Detroit, Mich., aunt of the groom.

Y. M. H. A. Prepares Jewish Students For College Campus

To prepare college-bound students, Jewishly, for experiences on the college campus, the Suburban YM-YWHA, of South Orange, N.J., and 17 suburban Essex County synagogues have joined forces to plan and sponsor an institute for senior high school students affiliated with the YM-YWHA and the youth groups of the synagogues.

The project was developed by the Rabbinical Advisory Committee of the Suburban YM-YWHA, headed by Rabbi Theodore Friedman, of Congregation Beth El, South Orange, in cooperation with Manuel Batshaw, executive director, Jewish Community Center of Essex County, and Harold Dinerman, director of the Suburban YM-YWHA, a branch of the Essex County JCC. Mr. Batshaw is a former Montrealer, the brother of Justice Harry Batshaw.

In a report to the National Jewish Welfare Board, of which the Essex County Jewish Community Center is an affiliate, Mr. Batshaw said that the six sessions of the institute will be held once a month beginning March 5 and ending May 21. Subjects to be dealt with and the expert leadership for each session are:

"Learning To Stand On Your Own Two Feet," by Dr. Alex Rosen, dean of the New York University Graduate School of Social Work; "The Jewishness You Bring With You To College," Carl Urbont, executive director, 92nd Street YM-YWHA; "What Happens To You As A Jew On The Campus," Rabbi Benjamin M. Kahn, national director of Bnai Brith Hillel Foundations; "Meeting Other Religions On The Campus," Dr. Alfred Jospe, national director of program and resources, of Hillel Foundations; "College And Marriage: Do They Go Together?", Dr. Morris N. Kertzer, Larchmont Temple.

MARRIAGES

GOLD-RUBENSTEIN

The marriage of Miss Shirley Rubenstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rubenstein, 90 Mountain Avenue, Hamilton, Ont., to Irving L. Gold, son of Mrs. Dora Gold, and the late Morris Gold, 111 Kendal Avenue, was solemnized on December 15, at half-past twelve o'clock, at 589 Steeles Avenue West, by Rabbi David Monson, assisted by Cantor Nathan Adler. The bride was given in marriage by her parents. She was attired in a floor-length, white matelasse gown. The fitted bodice was made with a scooped neckline and the sleeves were trimmed in crystal drops; and there was a tulip-shaped skirt. Her veil of tulle illusion was topped by a matching pillbox hat, trimmed with matching beading. She carried a cascade bouquet of white roses and carnations. Mrs. Sheldon Kumer, of Hamilton, Ont., was the matron of honour, wearing a shell-pink gown of silk organza; made with a fitted bodice; and A-line skirt. She had a matching headpiece; and carried a nosegay of pink carnations and American Beauty roses. Albert Rubenstein, of Hamilton, Ont., brother of the bride, was best man. The ushers were: Morely Rubenstein, brother of the bride; Norman Herenfeldt, Sheldon Kumer and Milton Nash. American Beauty red, pink, and white flowers decorated the Synagogue. Mrs. Joseph Rubenstein, mother of the bride, received, in delphinium-blue gown, composed of a ribboned lace bodice; with a chiffon skirt. Mrs. Dora Gold, mother of the groom, wore a gown of rose-coloured peau de soie. Each had a matching headpiece; and their flowers were wristlets of Cymbidium orchids. Mr. and Mrs. Irving L. Gold, spent their wedding trip on a two-week Caribbean cruise. The bride travelled in white wool Chanel suit with the jacket lapels and blouse in salmon-coloured silk. She had a feathered hat in matching shade of the blouse; and had a corsage of white and salmon-coloured roses, tinted to match. They have taken up residence at 3311 Bathurst Street. Here for the marriage were: Miss Nancy Gold, of New York, sister of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rubenstein, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rubenstein, of Hamilton, Ont., uncle and aunts of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schreibman, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cohen, and Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor, all of Orillia, Ont.

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Yemenite Group Celebrates Anniversary Of Arrival In Israel of 50,000 By J.D.C. "Magic Carpet" Air-Rescue" On Eagles' Wings"

There was a double celebration in December in the Yemenite community of Shaar Menashe, the Joint Distribution Committee-Malben village for the aged in Israel: the 13th anniversary of their arrival at Shaar Menashe and, even more important, the 15th anniversary of their arrival in Israel.

It was December 17, 1948. A twin-engine airplane came winging in out of the sky and landed smoothly at Lydda Airport. Immigration officials hovered expectantly around the plane as the door opened and the first group from Yemen descended to Israeli soil, mostly orphaned children, fifty-four in all. They came down smiling and unafraid for they were fulfilling the ancient Biblical prophesy: "Ye have seen . . . how I bore you on eagles' wings and brought you unto Myself." (Exodus 19:4)

That flight marked the launching of the most dramatic human airlift the world has ever seen, JDC's operation "Magic Carpet," sponsored jointly with the Jewish Agency. The gigantic air-rescue operation brought to Israel almost the entire Jewish population of Yemen where they had lived since the destruction of the Temple in Jerusalem, 1,800 years ago. With the creation of the state of Israel and the consequent increase in Arab persecution it became impossible to remain there.

Between that day in December and September 24, 1950, when the last plane load landed in Israel, nearly 50,000 Yemenite men and women, including the aged, young people, and children, had been brought out of the Dark Ages to the Promised Land. The DC-4 Douglas Skymaster and other planes in the operation spanned not only the 1,500 air miles between Aden and Lydda, but also the 1,900 years from their Biblical past to the present.

During the 21-month period of the operation the JDC-chartered planes flew some 450 flights. At the peak, in October, 1949, there were 87 flights transporting a total of 11,716 persons. JDC spent approximately $3,500,000 to finance the project, provided by the Jews of America through the United Jewish Appeal.

It was a combination of circumstances that made the Jews of Yemen leave their country in our time. Fifty-seven years ago an emissary from the Jewish settlers in Palestine, a man by the name of Shmuel Yavnieli, also known as Eliezar ben Josef, went from village to village in Yemen urging the Jews to come to Palestine. Only a few heeded the call.

Only when the centuries of Arab discrimination broke out into violent persecution at the time of Israel's Independence War against the Arab invaders, and upon learning that a new Jewish state had been established, did the Yemenite Jews decide to set out for their ancient homeland.

Exactly how long Jews have lived in Yemen, nobody knows. Legend has it that they settled in Southern Arabia in the days of Solomon or Nebuchadnezzar and that they were the oldest Jewish community in the world. In the early days of the Christian era there had been a Jewish kingdom in Yemen and only when Mohammed and Islam had conquered all Arabia was the powerful and rich Jewish community overpowered and the Jews gradually reduced to the status of second-class citizens.

Surrounded by Arab tribes, they suffered for centuries from harsh Moslem codes which forbade the Jews to ride camels or horses, lest they be raised higher than a Moslem. They were permitted to ride on donkeys, with both legs on the same side since that would not elevate them above a Moslem on foot. They were forced to walk only to the left of a Moslem, and were forbidden to build houses higher than those of their Moslem neighbors.

Tired of the degradation and persecution and inspired by the creation of the new Jewish state, the Yemenites sold their homes and animals at whatever prices they could get, and made their way across the desert to Aden, the British protectorate on the Red Sea, hoping to make their way from there to Israel. Those who found themselves on the verge of starvation were helped along the journey by Josef Zadok, a Yemenite-born Israeli who was sent out by the Jewish Agency to help them. At first the villagers did not believe that he was actually a Yemenite as he had shaved off his side-curls (payot), so characteristic of the Jews of Yemen. Soon, however, he gained their trust and they accepted him as one of their own.

Thousands of Yemenites started out on foot and on donkey to make the 200-mile trek southward across the mountains and desert lands of Arabia to Aden. Only on the last leg of the journey did they go by Arab-driven buses, many seeing a motor vehicle for the first time. Everywhere the Arabs knew that the Jews were leaving the country. Sometimes they had to run a gantlet through Arab villages, often being met by a shower of stones; at other times the passage was more friendly.

As the haggard, half-starved refugees reached the border of Aden after a journey of weeks, they found that a special tax had been levied on their Torah scrolls and also on them personally. Hundreds were ill, many suffered from malaria. Many were so emaciated that the average Yemenite coming to Aden weighed only 85 pounds. They desperately needed a rest and medical care before they could go on. This was provided by the Joint Distribution Committee, which moved in quickly with medical and social welfare staffs.

In the port town of Aden, Camp Hashed, a former Italian prisoner-of-war settlement, was quickly filled with refugees. Soon a second camp was set up. In the first phase of the air lift, between mid-December, 1948, and mid-March, 1949, about 5,200 Yemenites were flown to Israel. Most of these intensely religious people had never heard of, let alone seen, an airplane, but they boarded it without fear as they knew from the Bible that one day they would go there on "eagles' wings." They were so under-weight and had so few belongings that the Skymasters carried up to 140 passengers on a single flight. Sometimes babies were born en route, but there was never any fuss. On one occasion the pilot was not even informed of a birth until the plane landed and he learned that he had one passenger more than at take-off.

As fighting between the Arabs and the Jews was still going on near Israel's borders, the British authorities in Aden at first refused to allow men of military age to board the air transports. The women and children were sent ahead but their arrival in Israel without their breadwinners posed serious problems. J.D.C. and the Jewish Agency opened intensive negotiations with the British authorities and finally persuaded them to lift their ban on the departure of men of military age.

At this point, the native Jews of the city of Aden also joined the exodus to escape the persecution they themselves suffered. During the next two months close to 1,800 Jews of Aden were flown to Israel in Phase two of operation "Magic Carpet." Phase three began immediately after, as vast numbers of Jews continued to filter through from Yemen. This phase got under way on June 28, 1949, and during the following 15 months tens of thousands of Yemenite Jews boarded the planes for Israel. At one time there were 12,000 persons in the camp which was meant for 500.

An example of the conditions that confronted J.D.C. and the Jewish Agency workers: on September 17, 1949, four J.D.C.-chartered planes flew 550 Jews from the Aden camp to Israel, and on the same day 853 new arrivals were registered in the camp. J.D.C. rushed emergency medicines and food to the camp and to the large numbers of refugees who were caught on the Yemen side of the border when the British had closed it temporarily.

The dramatic home-coming of the Yemenites brought to Israel a highly cultured, keen, and industrious people who were easily absorbed by the new state. The Yemenite Jews have made significant contributions to their new homeland as craftsmen, skilled laborers, and farmers. They have brought with them their own unique culture, an outstanding example of which is the world-famous Inbal ballet. They are especially noted for their exquisite jewelry and embroidery.

Even the transition to 20th-century Israel was not a difficult process for these highly-adaptable people. In Yemen they knew nothing of electricity or water taps, beds or blankets, shoes or toilets, cinemas or railroads. The women used to wear long, embroidered pants and only in Israel were they introduced to a skirt as suitable garb for women. The men, who used to wear long peasant's coats, took to wearing long pants for the first time.

During practically their entire stay in Israel, a sizable group of Yemenite Jews has continued to live under the shelter of J.D.C. Late in 1951 several hundred aged Yemenites became residents of J.D.C.-Malben's Shaar Menashe village for the aged. Today, thirteen years later, but colorful community still lives there and still observes many of the traditions and customs it has practiced for two millenia. Malben is the J.D.C. welfare program on behalf of aged, ill, and handicapped newcomers to Israel.

The first group of Yemenites to come to Shaar Menashe consisted of 38 aged women and 14 men. Some of this original group are still alive today and have been able to celebrate the "Bar Mitzvah" anniversary of their arrival in the village. At one time, close to 500 Yemenites made their home at Shaar Menashe. Today, their number has decreased to approximately 200.

A section of the village was set aside to meet the special needs of the Yemenites. They eat different foods from the rest of the village population, and dig small gardens in front of their houses where they grow spicy herbs for their exotic menus. They pursue their own, special interests. The men, very religious, begin the day with the Shaharit prayers in the synagogue at the crack of dawn, and then, together with the women, are occupied in workshops, the kitchen, or in garden work till noon.

How old these people are nobody actually knows. Their age was never registered in Yemen.

Powers Of Israeli Rabbinate Are Wide, Go Unchallenged Where Observant Jews Are In Minority

The Chief Rabbinate in Israel is a most unusual institution. Its roots go back to Turkish times in Palestine. The Turks recognized the communal existence of the country's Christian and Jewish minorities, says Alvin Rosenfeld, in the New York Herald Tribune, and permitted them to keep and use their own ecclesiastical laws, particularly in matters of personal status.

The British rulers of man-dated Palestine, following in the Turkish tradition, viewed each group in multi-grouped Palestine as a religious community and established the institution of the Chief Rabbinate in the early 20s. Until then there had been only chief rabbis in various towns but no nation-wide office.

Israel, seeking to postpone basic decisions in the explosive religious area until such basics as wars and economic crises and immigration challenges could be overcome, took over the British laws and regulation in this area in toto.

The result is that the Chief Rabbinate has wide powers. It supervises the religious courts which have authority in such matters as marriage and divorce.

The chief Rabbinate, which represents only the Orthodox trend in Judaism, also holds supreme religious authority. This is because virtually all centers of Jewish worship in Israel are Orthodox and the Chief Rabbinates' hold has never been seriously challenged in a land where observant Jews are in a definite minority.

Thus the Chief Rabbi is both a civil servant and a religious leader. He supervises courts which have legal status though they are religious courts, says the New York Herald Tribune, and he stands at the head of a body with ecclesiastical authority. His salary is paid by the state.

In theory there are two Chief Rabbis—one for the Sephardic community, encompassing most of the Jews stemming from the Afro-Asian world, and one for the Ashkenazic community of East and Central European origin.

However, the post of Ashkenazic Chief Rabbi has been vacant since the death of its last incumbent several years ago, the continued vacancy stems from deep and complex splits as to who his successor should be.

The Sephardic Chief Rabbi Yitzhak Nissim is now Israel's only Chief Rabbi. He carries the additional title "Rishon le Zion — First in Zion."

Jewish communities outside Israel have developed their religious community structure in a variety of ways, each suited to the community's needs and arising from its history. The institution of the Chief Rabbi exists in such countries as Britain and France, says the New York Herald Tribune. Usually the institution developed in countries where there was a dominant Orthodox trend.

HISTADRUT, ISRAELI LABOR FEDERATION, CAMPAIGNS FOR MILLIONS TO MEET MAJOR SERVICES

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He spoke at the fortieth anniversary convention of the National Committee for Labor Israel at the Commodore Hotel, in New York. The committee is the fund-raising arm in America for Histadrut's projects.

Mr. Levy said Histadrut's version of Medicare, was based on mutual aid. The service, he said, is given to all 1.8 million persons covered by the plan in Israel, regardless of their ability to pay.

He said that though the major share of the $60 million health budget was derived from members' contributions, a large deficit had been incurred by the health fund, known as Kupat Holim, because of the influx of nonpaying immigrants.

Dr. Sol Stein, executive director of the National Committee for Labor Israel, told the convention that $5.7 million had been made available this year for the welfare projects in Israel by this group and the related Pioneer Women's Organization.

He reported that the committee had raised $66.8 million since the first drive started in 1924. This support, Dr. Stein said, had enabled Histadrut to establish vocational training systems in the country, now including 18 trade schools.

He added that money raised with the help of the American Labor Movement also resulted in the construction of 16 major hospitals as well as 1,000 local and regional health centers, says the New York Times. In a cabled message to the delegates, former Premier David Ben-Gurion, a founder of Histadrut, cited the "profound unity" between the workers of Israel and the United States.

This cooperation, he said, "has been of prime value in establishing Israel." Mr. Ben-Gurion cited the growth of Histadrut's members from 9,000 to 850,000 in the last 40 years. Histadrut, Mr. Ben-Gurion added, was not an ordinary labor movement, but "an alliance to build a state and regenerate a people."

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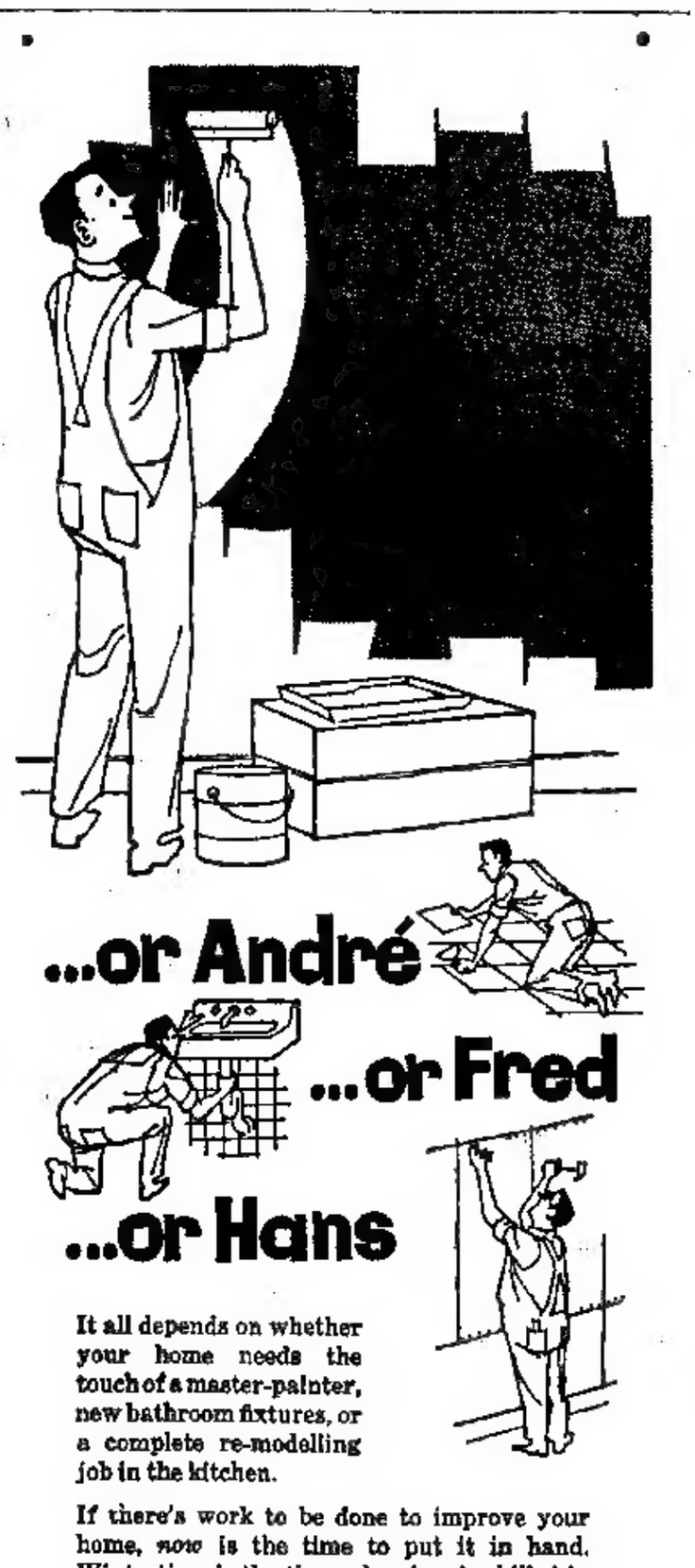
sion in the world and which gave meaning and purpose to the religious activity of the individual. Faith in the collective life and purpose of these groups was of the substance of their religion, and to deny the validity of their life and work would be in the long run a fatal abridgement of the rights of the human conscience, the World Jewish Congress representative declared.



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